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WASHOE COUNTY.

If anybody is looking for a good place to make a farm, Washoe county is the place for him. If he wants to invest a few hundred dollars in land and a few thousand in honest, hard work, such as our forefathers did in Ohio and New York, Washoe county wants him. If he has horses, and harrows, and plows, and boys, let him bring them here and put them to work on any of fifty pieces of sage land within five miles of the handsomest town on the coast, and in five years he will be independent and comfortable. If anyone has grub enough to last until winter, and a good pick and shovel, he can find dozens of fine prospects where he can either open up a bonanza, or throw away his summer's work, according to his luck. On the other hand, if he wants to come and sell groceries or boots and shoes or dry-goods, or clerk in a store, or practice law or medicine, or loaf around the saloons and drink whisky and steal or beg, Washoe county does not want him. We have plenty of merchants, clerks, lawyers, doctors and preachers to do twice the business there is in the county. We need workers—men who put brain in their motions, and strength in their blows, and to such, we can offer the highest inducements. To the other classes we can only offer dull times and small profits.

CHINESE OR WHITE LABOR.

There is considerable feeling manifested all over Western Nevada at the proposition of the V. & T. R. R. to employ Chinese labor on the Bodie branch. Corporations have no souls, and there is little reason to doubt that if the work can be done more cheaply by one class of labor than another, the company will adopt that which will cost the least. We sincerely hope that Mr. Yerington will make no mistake in favor of the foreigner. If there is any doubt, we hope he will give white labor the benefit of it. There are large numbers of idle men in the state who would be glad to put in a summer's work, at wages that would make them cheaper in the end than Chinamen. Outside of this, there is a very strong prejudice growing up against the practice of giving Chinamen work and letting white men go hungry. While every man has a right to manage his own business in his own way, yet it would be the part of wisdom, and it is our duty to tell them so, for capitalists to pay some attention to this universal sentiment. We do not want any sand lots in Nevada, and there need be none, if the rich will make even trifling concessions to the laboring classes.

WHO ARE CANDIDATES.

From the New York Sun.
Our esteemed contemporary, the *World*, has been manifesting much concern of late to know whether Mr. Tilden is a candidate for President. We can answer the *World*: Mr. Tilden is a candidate.
Mr. Seymour is a candidate.
Mr. Bayard is a candidate.
Mr. Thurman is a candidate.
Mr. Samuel J. Randall is a candidate.
Gen. Hancock is a candidate.
Gen. John M. Palmer is a candidate.
David Davis is a candidate.
Sanford E. Church is a candidate.
Stephen J. Field is a candidate.
Elihu B. Washburne is a candidate.
Roscoe Conkling is a candidate.
Wm. M. Evans is a candidate.
John Sherman is a candidate.
James G. Blaine is a candidate.
Gen. Grant is a candidate for President and Emperor.
Of course we know nothing in particular about Mr. Tilden's candidacy; but we know that the rule, once a candidate, always a candidate, has never had an exception.

A NEEDED ROAD.

In regard to the proposed new northern road, which would so much benefit the business of Reno, the *Modoc Independent* has the following:
"During the week we had a friendly visit from R. A. West, who has just returned from Reno, and he informs us that the citizens between here and that place are just ripe for a new road between Reno and Alturas. The route proposed, and it is one that can be travelled without difficulty, is from Alturas via McDonald's on Madeline Plains to Horse Lake; distance 60 miles; thence to Pete's valley, distance 10 miles; from Pete's valley across the head of Honey Lake valley to Buntingville, about 17 miles; thence following the stage road from Susanville to Reno, a distance of 75 miles, making a total distance of 162 miles and shortening the distance between Alturas and Reno about 20 miles, which would make a difference of 2 days for loaded teams on a round trip. From our personal knowledge of the proposed route as good a road can be built that way as there is in any part of the mountains of California. There need not be a hard pull anywhere on the entire road, and ample accommodations for both man and animal can be procured at short distances along the road. It has been suggested to us that Reno, Alturas and Buntingville, each send out a viewer, and that they meet at a given time to view, survey and locate the proposed new road, and to make a report through their respective local papers, and that a subscription list be presented at the time of viewing the proposed road to those who are acquainted with, and in favor of that route. Mr. Shumway, of Horse Lake, says he will head the list with \$150. Mr. McDonald, of Madeline Plains, will give \$50. It is roughly estimated that the road can be put in first rate condition for between two and three thousand dollars. We would like to hear from our friends in Reno."

JUDGE REAGAN'S FAILURE.

As the *GAZETTE* predicted, the Reagan bill has fallen flat in Congress. The committee has reported adversely upon it and presented a substitute authorizing a commission with powers of examination and publication, such as we have always recommended. The plan originated in Massachusetts with Charles Francis Adams Jr., and has been the most satisfactory of all the numerous attempts at regulation. The enemies of railroads swiftly charge the failure of the Reagan bill to the corruption of congressmen by the railroads. The truth is, the bill fell of its own weight. It needed only to be understood to be condemned. While the effect upon Nevada would have been good, it would have brought the greatest disaster to the Eastern States. Such hasty and crude legislation can be productive only of harm, and as long as such bills are introduced and brought up for consideration, so long will railroads be compelled, in self defence, to take a hand in politics. It is only human nature for men to try to protect themselves. Self-preservation is the first law of nature.

RAILROAD FAILURES.

The general impression that railroads are rich is not well-founded. The rich ones are the exceptions instead of the rule. A late member of the *Railway Age* says: "The year 1879 witnessed the winding up of more railway companies than any previous year, and more than twice as many as our record showed for 1876. Seventy-five roads, representing a nominal investment of \$243,000,000, were sold under foreclosure. The following summary gives a comparative view of the annual work of foreclosure since 1876:"

Year	No. of Roads	Mileage	Capital Invested
1876	30	3,816	\$217,548,000
1877	34	3,975	196,984,000
1878	48	5,823	311,631,000
1879	75	4,999	243,000,000
Total in four years	187	18,613	\$969,163,000

"In the last four years, therefore, about one-fifth of the entire railway mileage and capital of the United States has been compelled to change ownership by forced sale."

JAMES A. GARFIELD.

The reaction which has already shown itself against Grant and which shows symptoms of reaching Blaine, is bringing the dark horse into notice. The man who believes that James A. Garfield is not a strong man in the fight is not posted. He is strong, not because he is little known and has no record, but because he has a good record. He has been foremost in every fight in this country for fifteen years, and has never been cornered. He is as good a debater as Blaine, and is a purer character. He is as good a financier as Sherman, with more magnetism. He is as firm as Grant, with a better education. He is sound on every point and is cast in a grand mould. His voice is rich and deep. His head high and full; his hair and beard abundant and of a rich brown. His chest is immense and his bodily strength enormous. He will be 40 years old the 4th of March, and is still growing in mental development. He is thoroughly American and his record is excellent. He is the finest steed in the stable of dark horses by odds. He would sweep the Pacific coast like a broom.

A STRINGENT REGULATION.

The Board of Trustees of Carson City have passed an ordinance forbidding saloon keepers to sell wines, liquors or beer to boys under eighteen years of age or to allow such youths to enter their saloons. The ordinance also makes it unlawful for youths under eighteen to be in the streets after 9 p. m., unless on business, and also prohibits such boys from entering any house of ill fame. The maximum penalty for any violation of the ordinance is a fine of \$100, or imprisonment for fifty days, or both fine and imprisonment.

BRIBE-TAKERS.

Referring to railroad matters the *Carson Appeal* says:
The names of the men who received the money, the amounts they received, and who they got it from, will be a matter of public record.
If the above can be proved the guilty members should be hanged or sent to prison for life.—*Journal*.
This looks like business. Why delay?

The case of the State vs. King and Wyman came up this morning. King was allowed to turn state's evidence, and he told with a smile a story which showed him to be twice as big a villain as his partner in crime. He put up the job to rob his own uncle, a man who had been kind and generous with him. Even the rule that there is honor among thieves fails in his case. He is one of the meanest looking creatures ever seen in Reno, and from his own story he is as mean as he looks.

Says the New York Sun: The California trotter St. Julian is to make a tour of the East during the coming spring. His owner writes to a Detroit man: "I will want \$1500 net to trot my horse, and if he can get that in Detroit, this will be the first race St. Julian will trot on your side of the mountains." The phrase "on your side of the mountains" will probably strike the Detroiters as something they never thought of before.

A dissatisfied shipper at Verdi sends us a few lines which we insert in another column. The philosophy of the people of Nevada is not equal to the task imposed upon it by the Railroad companies. There is much feeling on the matter on all sides, and while many things would be explained away if they were better understood, yet there are some which must be changed before the question will be allowed to rest.

The bogus \$5 coin, reported in the *San Francisco Bulletin*, as being in circulation, bears the date of "1860."

It is so perfectly executed that coin experts have pronounced it genuine. Its true character can only be ascertained by testing its specific gravity or by analysis. Its specific gravity is only 15, when the specific gravity of the genuine coin is 17, and its value is only \$3.60, or \$1.40 less than its face.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company and the overland railroads are now in direct competition for passenger and freight traffic. The steamship rates from New York to San Francisco are now \$75 for first-class and \$35 for steerage passengers. The railroad fares have been reduced to \$100 for first-class and \$75 for second-class tickets.

"Advance and Retreat," a narrative of personal experiences in the war of the rebellion, written by the late General Hood, has been published by General Beauregard. It will be found an interesting book. The proceeds from the sale of the work will be devoted to the support and education of the ten orphan children of General Hood.

The *Eureka Leader* speaks of "the practice" of firing pistol shots in the streets of that town at night.

Eureka has a "Ladies' Private Smoking Club."

The *Eureka Leader* remarks the coincidence that immediately after the publication of "601's" card in the *GAZETTE*, a cemetery association was formed in Reno.

The *Plumas National* man has tried his hand at rhyming the word Elko, and prints this attempt:

A poet in Reno
Is not very keen-o.
And to save his life can't rhyme with Elko.
He ought to be made
To suck eggs for a trade,
And be hung if he swallowed the yelko.

The most valuable articles upon the railroad question appearing in the Nevada press are furnished by the *Reno GAZETTE*, and the *Virginia Enterprise*.—*Va. Chronicle*.

Thanks, neighbor. We have given the subject a great deal of study and hope the state will be the better for our having lived in it.

If "a strong man" is needed for President, why not run Caldera? If strength is the main qualification, Caldera should make a better President than Grant. The Italian is the stronger and the more obstinate of the two.

"Dr. George von Tromlitz" of 212 Kearney street, San Francisco, the well-known corn doctor, is advertised in Elko. Somehow that name, without the von, has a familiar look.

Broil, boil, roast or stew meats in preference to frying them. Nothing, except pie, is responsible for so much suffering as fried meat.

Washington Territory's delegation to the National Republican Convention will be for Blaine.

Opposition stage lines between Carson and Genoa have reduced the fare to 0.

Seth Green thinks Fish Bear.

Seth Green thinks that fish converse with one another. "How'd those trout of mine out there at the pond," he lately said, "know the difference between a plain, long stick and a regular fishing rod, as they do, if they don't talk it over and compare notes? Why, they'll most break their heads bumping them together to get out of the way of a fishpole, and you see I couldn't scare them at all with that stick to-day. They know the difference, too, between the man who carries a pail about dinner time and the man that don't, I can tell you."

A Mr. Harris, formerly of Preston, England, has left that town \$1,250,000 for educational purposes, and 500,000 to what is known as the Queen Anne's Bounty Fund for aiding poor clergy.

The Salem flouring mills are the largest in Oregon. They have twelve run of burrs, and turn out 650 barrels of flour in twenty-four hours.

On the night of the 26th ultimo a band of sheep, fifty head, belonging to Wm. Sharick of Damascus, Oregon, was attacked by dogs, and nineteen were killed.

J. M. Sumner of the Central Colony, Fresno, is trying the experiment of sub-irrigation by means of cornstalks placed in trenches and covered with earth to the depth of ten or twelve feet.

J. H. Slavan, proprietor of the Argenta Ditch and Flume called at the *GAZETTE* office this morning. He is on his way home from California. His ditch will carry a large amount of water this spring and reclaim land heretofore under sage-brush.

James Doran, who was recently in jail on a charge of being an accessory after the fact to the Laswell murder, came down on the Virginia train last evening, in company with his "girl." The pair departed this morning for Winnemucca. Miss Panchon went with them to the train, and bade them "God speed."

Eggs \$1 per dozen in Silver City, Idaho.

The new round-house at Truckee is to have twenty-two stalls, each capable of holding two engines. Work will begin in June.

Miss Polly Hanson of Lake county, went out shooting quail last week, and, in fifteen shots, at single birds, killed fourteen.

A newspaper has been started at Candelaria, under charge of John H. Dormer.

Citizens of Elko are endeavoring to make that town the shipping point for Idaho freight.

A bill has been introduced in the California Legislature for the protection of the second growth of timber around Lake Tahoe.

A site for a depot has been donated the Virginia and Truckee Railroad Company by the people of Dayton.

Smelt fishermen are making good wages on the Columbia river now. Some make \$40 a night with dip nets.

John A. Watson, of the Chimney Rock ranch, west of Guerneville, got after a den of rattlesnakes last Sunday, and killed 53.

A quarter section of well improved land on Howell's Prairie, Willamette Valley, was recently sold for \$28 12 per acre; another quarter section brought \$31 25 per acre.

Superintendent Kelly of the Lady Bryan says his mine will shut down in a few days. He says they have no money to pay the expenses of running.

It cannot be denied, says the *Gold Hill News*, that the Colorado fever is raging violently on the Comstock. Some of the foremost mining men of Virginia have it terribly, and the prospects are that in the spring there will be a large exodus in that direction.

Says the *Arizona Democrat*: The thermometer at Yuma last week varied from 78 to 23 degrees Fahrenheit, and the Yuma people have given up expecting the famous deceased member of the garrison to return for his blankets.

The Indian squaw who was married to a Chinaman in Red Bluff four weeks ago, and went to live in Chico, was yesterday morning burned to death by the bursting of a kerosene lamp in her room, the burning oil going all over her clothes.

One of the most powerful corporations in the West is the great stage and mail-carrying firm of Salisbury, Gilmer & Co. They now have over 5,000 miles of stage lines and employ between 6,000 and 7,000 horses in Dakota and Montana.

Four dance houses in Bodie.

Two feet of snow at Palisade.

T. J. Humbert, at Lassen, killed twenty jack rabbits in eight shots.

The town of Sutro has two faro banks and ten saloons, but no church.

Freight from the Rocky Mountains mines to Virginia City is \$15 per ton.

In Bodie the other night a stalwart miner slipped on the floor of a dance house, and broke his leg.

The lady managers of the leap-year ball at Elko donated the profits, \$37, to a poor widow woman.

The *Standard* says there are at present six or seven faro banks "in healthy operation" in Bodie.

The Oregon Republican State Central Committee will meet at Salem on Wednesday, the 18th instant.

The streets of Austin are disturbed by a bull which chases the incautious pedestrians. Looks bad in a railroad town.

The Carson *Tribune* tells a story of a big hen in Carson that makes a fresh nest every time she lays an egg, and never crows.

Walla Walla county pays a bounty of two cents for each squirrel scalp presented to the Auditor during the months of February and March.

Messrs. Carr & Haggin have eight artesian wells in Kern county. Their average flow is about 4,000 gallons per hour each. Two more are now being bored.

The last two spikes driven on the Nevada Central Railway were made of silver from the Manhattan mines, and were finished up ready for use by J. A. Wright, jeweler of Austin.

T. H. Brummett, of the Hollister *Enterprise*, who was shot by another editor named Carlton, leaves a wife and two babies. The shooting is regarded as a cold-blooded murder.

The lower Yellowstone is literally black with large herds of buffalo, and many of the citizens are slaughtering them by wholesale for their hides, which find ready sale at Miles City.

A. J. Maxwell, the mail contractor on the Black Hills route, had five horses taken from his mail riders between Yellowstone and Deadwood, by road agents, the latter part of last week.

Says the Carson *Tribune*: It is currently reported that 100,000 of the 150,000 shares of the Bullion mine, Paradise District, have been sold by Bob Pixley, to Eastern purchasers at \$1 25 per share. General R. M. Clarke of this city is a large owner in the Bullion.

Frank Pritchard, runner for the Aurora hotel, at Independence, Polk county, Oregon, was cowhided on the streets of that place by Miss Mollie Mathews, daughter of the proprietor of the Keweenaw House, in the same town. Pritchard had recently been circulating scandalous reports concerning Miss Mathews' character.

Caught on its Own Hook.

From the Chicago Field.

A short time since, the *Forest and Stream* offered a large fish hook, as a prize for the biggest fish lie that could be told. As a natural consequence there was not wanting any number who were ready to draw on their imagination for the questionable prize. Among them was an Oregon correspondent who perpetrated the cruel joke on our contemporary, of a breed of dogs that a-fishing went, and after eating the salmon, died after the most approved manner, at their owner's feet. Our contemporary, not realizing that it was a bid for the biggest lie, bit at the bait, was hooked, and indulged in a learned article on fungi, etc., etc., etc., etc., forgetting that a breed of dogs could not last long that died by their very occupation.

Ice a Cure for Small-pox.

From numerous experiments made in the great hospital at Posen, Prussia, it appears that ice is a most effectual remedy against small-pox. One of the patients in a fit of delirium, escaped to the garden, where the snow lay two feet deep. There he remained all the rest of the night, with no covering but his shirt. On the following morning the fever had subsided and the pustules dried. This strange circumstance attracted the physicians' attention, and, after consultation, they determined to keep the temperature of the small-pox wards very low, and apply small quantities of ice to the patients. The results surpassed their expectations, and at the end of a week all the patients had recovered.

A Man Killed by an Electric Battery.

From the Pall Mall Gazette.

A musician named Bruno was killed Jan. 29d by an electric shock received from the apparatus for producing the electric light at the Holte theatre, Aston, Birmingham. A single powerful battery supplies all the lights of the theatre and its adjoining grounds, and the wires conveying the current pass over the orchestra of the theatre. On leaving the orchestra Mr. Bruno placed his hand on the wires, and received the full shock of the electric current. He was rendered insensible by the shock, and died in a very short time.

A Deer Caught in a Tree-Top.

From the Houston (Texas) Telegram.

Near Monkstown, Fannin county, recently a deer was found fastened by his horns in a tree-top. He was captured, of course.

THE JONES BANQUET.

The *Bulletin* heads its account of the banquet to Senator Jones, "A Remarkable Gathering." It brought together in social conversation the most distinguished party of gentlemen and statesmen that has ever been gathered in New York city. The large ball room at Delmonico's was decorated in the most elaborate manner, and was converted for the time into a mimic mining camp, situated in the midst of a flower garden. Among the decorations in confectionery and jellies were representations of chutes used in placer mining, a mimic drift in a quartz mine with Lilliputian miners wielding Lilliputian picks, miniature quartz mills for crushing ore, and several other devices which were familiar to mining men in the company, but which proved so many riddles to the rest of the guests. The *Times*, speaking of the dinner and those who were present, says: It was a remarkable gathering on account of the well known gentlemen who composed it. It comprised 51 statesmen and civilians, one actual candidate for the Presidency of the United States, one possible candidate in event of a want of unanimity in the Republican National Convention, and a great number of United States Senators and Congressmen, and prominent office holders of this state. Only one after-dinner speech, in an ordinary sense, was made, and this was by Senator Blaine, in eulogy of Senator Jones.

The *Tribune*, whose editor was among the guests, publishes the names of 54 invited, of whom the following 14 were absent: Senators Conkling, Allison and Logan; Governor Cornell; William B. Woodin; J. B. Chaffee; Amos Townsend; S. B. Elkins; Hugh Hastings; W. E. Chandler; T. C. Plate; General Arthur; E. M. Madden; and Congressman Morton. The *Tribune* adds: There were no speeches whatever. So far was it from a political dinner that no toasts were given and no healths pledged.

THE REAGAN BILL DEAD.

Under this heading the *Carson Appeal* says: "The Committee listened to the arguments of the advocates of the bill, and also to the oratory of several railroad monopolies, after which they reported against the bill by a vote of seven to three. The railroad wins again. It will thus be seen that the same tactics which carry the day in a Nevada Legislature are equally potent in the Congress of the United States. Again the influence of powerful railroad corporations has proven too much for those who desire to reform the flagrant abuses they inflict upon the people; and these influences will continue all-powerful, and neutralize all attempt at reform until the people deal with faithless constituents in some manner commensurate with the enormity of their treachery."

If the editor of the *Appeal* had taken the trouble, as we did, of reading the Reagan bill, and looking into its operations, he would never have been betrayed into the folly of supporting it, unless he is possessed of much less good sense and honesty than we give him credit for. The bill was a monstrosity and its execution would have been an impossibility. The railroads doubtless sent good talkers before that committee, and convinced its members, as they could easily have convinced the editor of the *Appeal*, and all of his readers, that it would be a blow at the business of half the Eastern states. What the Nevada method may be, at which the *Appeal* darkly hints, we can only guess; but we have no idea at all that any extra inducement was necessary to convince the majority of that committee. We are much more inclined to believe that the three who voted for it were willing to be corrupted, than that the seven were. This charge of corruption upon every one who differs with them in opinion is a very old and very weak argument. It is about the only one the *Appeal* and *Chronicle* have left, however.

ANTI-CHINESE LEGISLATION.

In accordance with a provision of the new constitution, the California Legislature has passed a bill making it unlawful for corporations to employ Chinamen. The Governor has signed the bill and it has become a law. It is believed that the law will yet be tested in the courts. Leland Stanford has published a card in which he states that the Central Pacific employs only seven Chinamen in the county of San Francisco, and that the company proposes to abide by the laws of the state. Bills have been passed in the Assembly making it unlawful to grant any license to aliens ineligible to citizenship, and providing for an annual poll tax of \$25 for 1881 and of \$50 for each year thereafter.

DIVORCE IN FRANCE.

The question of divorce is now the great political topic in France. A divorce bill is now before the French Parliament, and a heated discussion is now going on in regard to it. The question has assumed a political rather than a social aspect, the clerical party and the Conservative Republicans opposing the measure, while the Radicals generally favor it. The position of the friends of the bill is thus stated by the *Sun*, and the statement includes some very startling facts:

"The lines of argument adopted by the present champions of the measure are almost identical with those laid down by the authors of Napoleon's codes. They insist that the society of Paris, and of all the large towns of France, is already so deeply gangrened with sexual immorality that the legal sanction of divorce is an indispensable palliative. They show that even a separation from bed and board, repugnant and illusory as such a remedy appears, is pronounced by the tribunals more than three thousand times a year. They point to the significant fact that under the existing law, which makes the nuptial bond irrevocable, the number of marriages in France is steadily decreasing. Thus, in 1874, it was 308,000, a year later 300,000, while in 1876 it had sunk to 291,000. It is attested, also, by statistics that the proportion of illegitimate children in the whole number of births is, in Paris, not less than 25 per cent., while in the rest of France, including the rural districts, it is 7 per cent. A detailed comparison has been made between these figures and analogous data from Protestant countries where the marriage tie may be dissolved, and the inference is, it is claimed, irrefragable that divorce is not the cause of social disorganization, but rather a recognition and easement of pre-existent evils."

STRAINING THE BOOM.

If Senator Blaine continues to gain in the next three months as he has in the last three weeks he will be almost unanimously the choice of the Convention. He is said to be growing in Ohio and in Illinois and everywhere else. He is certainly the first choice of a majority in this State. The great danger is that Mr. Blaine's friends will strain the boom and by overreaching produce a reaction. If such a reaction should be at low tide on the second of June, Mr. Blaine would be an easy man to beat. As soon as the people begin to ask "What is it makes Mr. Blaine so popular?" the reaction will set in. The only answer possible is that he is a deep schemer, an able tactician and a zealous Republican. He has no statesmanlike qualities has never originated a measure and his record is full of flaws. Laid upon the dissecting table of a Presidential campaign he would show many blemishes almost unheard of in the popular Senator. Such reflections as these which must fill the minds of many will have much influence between now and the Convention day and we feel safe in saying that Mr. Blaine will not be the first Senator to step from the Senate Chamber to the White House.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CANVASS.

The Presidential question is becoming more and more the absorbing topic every day. The newspapers are filled with the discussion. Monday's dispatches were largely made up of what is called "Presidential gossip." Here is some of it:

The *New York Tribune* vehemently supports Blaine, and the *Times* Grant. There is a vague, untraceable rumor that Blaine will soon withdraw from the candidacy to make room for Grant, with expectations four years hence.

The *New York Sun* wants anybody nominated who can beat Grant, and says this of Bayard: If there is any one thing clear, it is that Bayard is an able and distinguished Democratic leader who cannot possibly be elected President. He is a Southern man, with an ugly Southern record. Besides, he voted for the Electoral Commission bill, hence Tilden men will rebel against him.

The *Chicago Tribune* has more and varied correspondence favorable to Blaine, and showing that Grant's strength is becoming less in all sections.

A *Chicago Tribune* Washington special says: Anti-Tilden Democrats are taking fright at the new movement, they think they have discovered on the part of Tilden to capture the Democratic nomination. Democrats are authority for the statement that Tilden has "fixed" a formidable list of State delegations, embracing New York, all the New England states (except possibly Massachusetts), Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Colorado, California and Nevada, together with Kentucky, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina. These States are claimed as certain to instruct for Tilden.

The *Eureka Sentinel* denies that James G. Fair is a candidate for U. S. Senator.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is work for the tar and feather brigade in Reno. A new method of showing the queer has come to light there. A couple appeared before a clergyman and requested him to perform the marriage ceremony. The ceremony was performed and the bridegroom handed the minister a fifty-dollar bill and told him to take ten dollars out of it. Forty dollars in change was returned and the couple disappeared. The bill was counterfeit.—*Stock Report*.

This is a very pretty story as it stands, but it has been so long told on a Boston minister that it seems a pity to change the locality at this late date. It is to one of our Nevada contemporaries that the credit of revamping and localizing the anecdote is due. The *Stock Report* swallowed the joke without detecting its staleness.

The San Francisco papers contradict the statement that a reduction has been made in overland passenger rates between New York and San Francisco. The new rates have been telegraphed all over the country, as \$35 for third-class and \$75 for first-class passengers. Now it is stated that the Eastern roads refused to make sufficient reduction to allow the new rates to go into effect. Yet T. H. Goodman, General Passenger agent of the Central Pacific, has issued a circular announcing that third-class passenger tickets from San Francisco to New York, are now sold at \$35. They are good via St. Louis but not by Chicago.

The origin of the word "heeled," which is occasionally heard in Nevada, may be of some interest. The term is borrowed from the phraseology of cock-fighting. The fighting cocks, when pitted against each other, are armed with steel "gaffs," bound on over their natural spurs. Thus equipped, a cock is said to be "heeled." So it has come to be said of a man with a trusty "iron" on his flank, that he is "well heeled."

The race for the Republican nomination for the Presidency seems narrowing down to a close contest between Grant and Blaine. Washburne (Washburne with an e) has gracefully declined to be a candidate, but there is not much significance in a horse's leaving the track when half a mile behind. The fact that Henry Ward Beecher has declared for Grant, gives additional strength to Blaine.

A gentleman brought up to this office this morning a leaden bullet which had broken a pane of glass in his window. The boys around town break hundreds of dollars worth of glass every year with bits of iron, stones and bullets which they throw with great force from slings made of Indian rubber. The practice is dangerous and should be stopped by the authorities.

The *Appeal*, in copying an article on the Chinese, uses the following words. "The *Reno Gazette*, a journal which advocates the high freight tariffs of the Central Pacific, says:

The *Gazette* does not advocate high tariffs. It simply opposes the *Appeal* in its efforts to breed a war against capital and its investment here. We do not deny a paper any of the popularity it gains by lying about its contemporaries.

It is often well to look abroad for an unpartisan opinion of any public man. In England in 1843 Lord Brougham laid it down that "the publicity with which every department of the American Government is administered makes peculation impossible. It is an effluvia which in such a country can have no existence." "These words," says the *January Quarterly Review*, "have a strange sound to ears accustomed to the disclosure of such scandals as disgraced the second Presidency of Gen. Grant."

A fatal accident occurred in Bodie last Saturday evening, resulting from almost incredible carelessness. A. C. Robinson, foreman of the Spaulding mine, and Robert Anderson went together to their cabin, and made a fire in the stove. In about fifteen minutes the stove blew up, killing Robinson, and giving Anderson some painful wounds. Some one had placed Giant powder in the stove to thaw it out for use, and had forgotten to remove it.

Numerous legal decisions show that an audience has a right to hiss during a public performance. In Ireland it

has been held that an audience may "cry down" the play, or "hoot" the actors. The gist of the English decisions is that "the censure may be noisy but not riotous. Moreover, it must be spontaneous. If premeditated or preconcerted it becomes unlawful."

Dr. J. Milton Bowers, whose wife wrote the "Dance of Life," has been tried and found guilty in San Francisco on a charge of stealing medical books from the store of A. L. Bancroft & Co. It seems a very silly thing for a doctor to steal books in that way. He might just as easily have borrowed and forgotten to return the books he wanted.

The Republican State Central Committee meets in Virginia City next Monday. It is the general wish that it may issue a call for a state convention to elect delegates to the National Republican Convention to be held in Chicago next summer. This would secure the expression of the wish of the voters of the state, who are entitled to be heard in the matter.

The *Virginia Chronicle* fears that when Wilhelmj, the violinist, passes through Reno on his way to the Comstock he may get his j tarred and feathered. But both McCarthy and McEwen have often passed through Reno without having their Me's molested. Why, then, should Wilhelmj be anxious about his j?

W. F. Edwards of the *Modoc Independent* has contracted to do the Modoc county printing for the year commencing March 1, for \$345. Modoc county does not require near so much printing as Washoe does, and yet the Washoe Grand Jury grumbled at the contract for \$800, made by our County Commissioners.

The *New York Sun* describes a peculiar velocipede used on railroad tracks in Kansas by telegraph repairers. It has two wheels, like a bicycle, which run on one track, and over which the rider sits, while a smaller wheel, for steadying rests on the other track. Twenty miles an hour is practicable with it.

The *S. F. Call* learns that a Mr. Du Bois, of San Rafael, has on the way to California the most improved machinery for artesian well boring, by means of which wells twelve inches in diameter can be sunk to a depth of two thousand feet. The result of a deep well in San Rafael will be watchful with considerable interest.

Longfellow's nephew has taken the poet's advice to "be up and doing," having jumped his bail for forgery, and left "footprints on the sands of time" on his hurried way to South America. It doesn't, however, tend to make his uncle's life sublime to read in all the papers that the escaped forger is "a nephew of the poet."

The *Bulletin* is ahead of all the other San Francisco papers with an editorial on "The Coming of Spring." Not that the *Bulletin* means to assert that spring has really come on. Oh, no. It clearly defines its position by stating that "the traditional spring weather ought to come about this time."

The Princess Louise, it is said, did not want to go back to Canada, but her royal mother made her return. Now the Princess has lost a \$20,000 jewel in a Canadian snow bank. When she discovered her loss, she probably said: "There, I knew how it would be."

The woolen mills of San Francisco have discharged all the Chinamen in their employ, and will fill their places with whites. The immense jute factory at Oakland, which gave employment to hundreds of Chinamen, has been closed.

Hay is said to be becoming a scarce article on the Truckee Meadows. The cattle sent in there from outside places have eaten it up.—*Enterprise*.

Our contemporary is misinformed. There is abundance of hay on the Meadows.

The sculling match between Hawden and Boyd over the Tyne championship course on Saturday for £2,000 was won by Boyd by twelve lengths. Time—Twenty minutes and twenty-two seconds. Boyd allowed Hawden a start of four lengths.

Two tape worms, one 17, the other 13 feet in length, have just been evicted from a Wheatland man, who

had furnished them with all the comforts of a home for an unknown period.

It is sarcastically suggested that Brick Pomeroy and Dennis Kearney would make a most excellent ticket for the National party.—*Carson Tribune*.

Why sarcastically?

The *Call*, with its customary caution, headed a late telegram from Virginia City, "Alleged Strik in Ophir." The *Call's* caution is not misplaced in regard to Comstock mining news.

The distress in Ireland is said to be decreasing. The relief measures have proved adequate. Subscriptions are still flowing in. The New York *Herald* relief fund has reached \$200,000.

We have received from Gray, the music publisher of San Francisco, a copy of "Brick-a-Brac" waltzes, composed by Jos. D. Redding. It is a very pleasing composition.

A Workingmen's party has been organized in Denver, Colorado, and it bids fair to become an important political body. This opens up a new field for Kearney.

The *Chicago Inter-Ocean* says it is authorized to state that E. B. Washburne is not a candidate for President. The *Inter-Ocean's* ticket is "Grant and Blaine."

The Rev. Mr. Hayden, whose trial at New Haven, Conn., on a charge of murder, made such a stir a while ago, is to be again tried, the jury on the first trial having failed to agree.

J. E. Qwen, the Malthusian lecturer of San Jose, should go to Nova Scotia immediately. A woman there has just given birth to five babies, and the worst of it is they are all doing well.

The late "unpleasantness" in Maine cost that state \$90,000. In all fairness, that ought to come out of the Democratic "bar," but the Maine tax-payers will have to foot the bill.

The Lady Bryan mine has been shut down. Supt. Kelly has no idea when the (salt) works will be started up again.

Chicago had a big fire on Saturday night, which destroyed property to the value of \$600,000.

Milton S. Latham, of San Francisco, has accepted the presidency of the New York Mining Stock Exchange.

Blaine refuses to be the vice-Presidential tail to General Grant's Presidential kite.

What ups and downs there are in this world. The Bodie doctors are now complaining of dull times.

The Pope condemns divorce.

An Elephant in an Interesting Condition.

From the New York Sun.

"The most interesting fact ever reported about elephants in this country is the now seemingly well authenticated story that the cow elephant Baby, now in Cooper & Bailey's winter building in Philadelphia, is going to have a young one. If that is true, it will be the first elephant calf born in captivity, I believe. Baby is the queen of the troupe of five elephants to which she belongs. She manages and bosses them all and they seem perfectly devoted to her. I saw them crowd together to catch her when she was falling from a breaking pedestal one time, and lower her gently to the ground. Let her call for them and they will rush to her, no matter what stands in the way, and they will not allow her to be struck or hurt. They all seem to know her condition and so take extraordinary care of her, but she has always been queen among them. She is naturally wiser than any other elephant and the kindest of her sort. She will not break loose herself or do any mischief, but she will turn the others loose. It is pleasing to witness their affection for her, and how thoughtful they are to guard her against all risk. They will not allow her to get into a dangerous place—crossing a bridge that might break, or a ford in which she might mire—until one of the old males has gone over ahead and trumpeted back that all is safe for her."

"Hoe, Indian, or Die."

From the Boston Herald.

It requires four hundred square miles to support an Indian as a hunter. This is too much land for one man, even for an English Duke or California monopolist. Put the Indian on a fifty-acre reservation and tell him to "Hoe, Indian, or die."

A Desperate Fight With Housebreakers in Italy.

A desperate attempt on the house of a priest, who lived alone, is reported from a village near Cassino, Italy. The priest, however, had received warning, and for some nights an officer and six men had been keeping watch within the house. At last they had begun to think that it must be a false alarm, when in the dead of night they heard the sound of a hole being made in the wall at the back of the kitchen fire-place. A breach was quickly made, by which six men entered the house, the police keeping quiet the while. The leader then struck a light, but catching sight of the police for the first time, blew out the match, and his followers opened fire on them. The officer dashed at the leader of the party and grappled with him, and a terrible fight occurred in the darkness. The gendarmes, fearing to wound each other, made for a door to surround the house, but there they found nine other men, who opened fire on them. Meanwhile the thieves inside escaped as they had entered, and the whole party took to flight, with the exception of the man the officer had seized, who was mortally wounded by a pistol shot. Through his means the whole band was captured the next day, for he took it into his head that they had betrayed and entrapped him, and gave all their names before he died.

The Electric Light in the British Museum.

The electric light is not without its dangers. Some time ago a red hot morsel of carbon dropped from one of the lamps at the British Museum to a table usually occupied by readers. Measures were at once taken to prevent the recurrence of such an accident, but not with complete success, for a few days after a similar piece of red hot carbon fell from the centre lamp to the table of the superintendent of the reading room, upon a piece of loose paper, which began to kindle into a flame. This, however, was speedily extinguished. It is conceivable that a single spark might do irretrievable damage to some unique manuscript or other priceless example of literary production. Large transparent glass or talc saucers have been suspended below each lamp, so as to intercept any stray piece of carbon which may happen to fall in the future. It is even proposed to try the experiment of lighting the room from the outside, in which case the glass of the central part of the dome would offer a most effectual protection.

A western editor says that one hug is better than half a dozen love letters, and they can't be introduced as evidence in a breach of promise suit either.

A Cross Baby.

Nothing is so conducive to man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—*Traveler*.

I Wish Everybody to Know.

Rev. George H. Thayer, an old citizen in this vicinity, known to every one as a most influential citizen, and Christian Minister of the M. E. Church, just this moment stopped in our store to say, "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to Whitt's Consumption Cure." It is having a tremendous sale over our counters and is giving perfect satisfaction in all cases of Lung Disease, such as nothing else has done. Borden, Ind., May 15, 1878. Drs. Matchett & France. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker, Druggists, Reno, Nevada.

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Vick's Seeds.

Pinniger & Queen have received a large lot of Vick's flower and vegetable seeds, floral sets, alfalfa, timothy, lawn grass, blue grass, white and red clover, onion sets, etc., all of which will be sold at lowest market rates. All who wish fresh and reliable seeds are invited to call and examine. feb16

Drawing School.

Mr. Laycock will open a class in free-hand drawing at the Public School on Monday, January 19th, for the school children and others who wish to attend. The time of class will be as follows: From the close of the school for one hour each day, except Friday, and from 2 to 4 Saturday afternoon. Terms, \$1 per week in advance. Should a sufficient number of pupils be obtained, he will also start an evening school for adults, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 7 to 9. All wishing to join will please leave their names at Pinniger & Queen's drug store. Jan13

Drugs and Patent Medicines Of every description sold cheap by John F. Myers, two doors below the post-office. feb15

"Birds of a feather flock together." This is just exactly what they should do; the readers being Googel's Jewelry Store on Virginia Street, Reno. feb3

NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The judges of the Iowa Supreme Court are expected to leave Chicago this morning for the state capital at Des Moines.

Two hundred families of Philadelphia Quakers will form a colony in Minnesota, on the Northern Pacific railroad, next spring.

A sale by auction of a tract of land, fifty-one by thirty-eight miles in area, in Kansas, is to be made to satisfy a mortgage of \$5,000,000.

A visiting clergyman was just rising from prayer in a St. Paul church, when an usher strode up the aisle and handed him a big bouquet, which he dropped in the aisle.

Joseph Bailey of Lancaster, Wis., advised his son to break his engagement with Josephine Farrell, and marry her pretty sister. Josephine recently set fire to the old man's barn, and has gone to state prison, while her sister has become young Bailey's wife.

On the 12th instant Hugo Scott, while at work on General Lee's levee, near Tom Paine slough, adjacent to Tracy, got his neck broken at the base of the skull by a stroke from a scupper, which caught on a root and tilted over, the handle striking Mr. Scott on the back of the neck.

Some years ago the father of a Harvard graduate who had been living abroad after taking his degree, and spending freely, cut off his supplies. The son, intensely indignant, opened a vein, addressed his father a letter full of reproaches, written in his own blood, and then allowed himself to bleed to death.

A well-husbanded lady is now residing in the State of Arkansas. She is 65 years of age and is now living with that courteous man who has assumed the position of being her fourteenth husband! It is said that in the hall of her house are thirteen pegs, upon each of which hangs a hat duly labeled as the property of each of the defunct husbands.

The sheriff of Middlesex county, Mass., died recently, and the controversy as to which of the deputies, as the senior in the office, should act as sheriff ad interim, has been taken into court. The odd thing about the fight is that the contestants are not struggling for the position, but against it; for it will yield no additional profit, and whoever gets it will be compelled to act as executioner next Friday.

An incident, which would be absolutely incredible were not its truth amply vouched for, recently occurred at Marseilles. A man hanged himself at the door of his house with a girdle of wool. A neighbor having given the alarm, a number of persons rushed up, but they never thought of cutting the man down, and calmly watched him as he writhed in the death agony, which was very long. An officer of customs, who reached the spot a quarter of an hour after the crowd had begun to collect, released the victim, but he had ceased to breathe.

What Made It Taste Queer.

A Vineyard proprietor of the Haute Garonne, France, while recently engaged in tasting his wine, came to a large vat of the last vintage, and was shocked at what he described as its "fantastic flavor." He accordingly allowed it to run off into other vessels, and proceeded to examine the receptacle, when, to his horror, he discovered the body of one of his own workmen, who had mysteriously disappeared last October. The comforting piece of intelligence is added that the authorities have forbidden the sale of the wine, but the sequel is less satisfactory to brandy drinkers, who learn that the fluid, which has been undergoing such unusual treatment, will be handed over to the distillers.

A Warm Reception.

The young fellows and girls at Pritchett Institute, Glasgow, Mo., went out at night with horns, pans and bells to serenade the faculty. They made a diabolical noise in front of President Pritchett's house, and he came to a window with a demand to know what they wanted. "A speech, old Baldy," was the response. "I'll give you one," he cried, evidently displeased by the nickname. Then he blazed away with a shotgun, wounding two of the girls. He says that he only meant to scare them, and they charge that he aimed to hit.

The Soko and the Susmetu.

Mr. H. M. Stanley brought home the skulls of two "Sokos," which had been eaten by an affable chief with whom he foregathered one day, and Prof. Huxley at once pronounced them to be human. But Central America has now come forward with the Susmetu, and so far as descriptions go at present, this animal would appear to come as near ourselves as the Soko, for the other natives of its forests whom we call men and women call the Susmetu human.

Want the Rope Again.

A bill for the restoration of capital punishment is before the Wisconsin Legislature, and a Janesville merchant, to test public sentiment on the subject, made a canvass among his customers who were electors. Out of sixty-nine, the sum of one day's vote, thirty-seven favored, and thirty-two opposed the bill.

CAVE MAN.

The Early History of Man in England.

Professor Boyd Dawkins, a prominent English geologist, gave recently a lecture in London on "The Man of the Caverns," in the course of which he drew a vivid picture of southern England in prehistoric times. While the river-drift men and the cave men were living in Britain, the hills and valleys in the south of England, he said, presented the same outline as they do now. Could we take our stand in those times on Shooter's hill or on the Essex Heights, and look over the Thames valley in the direction of London, we should see a dense forest of oak, ash and Scotch fir, and the course of the Thames marked by lines of willows and alders. A few thin columns of smoke rising over the tops of the trees would mark the camping places of primeval man. In the forests wild boars, mammoths, and rhinoceroses, wild horses, stags and Irish elk would meet our eyes, and in the summer time

COUNTLESS HERDS OF BISON.

like those now ranging over the plains of northwestern America. In the winter were vast numbers of reindeer, and a few musk sheep, the most Arctic of the mammals in its habits. In the rivers were otters and beavers, and the explorer would be startled by the snort of the hippopotamus in the reaches of the Thames near Brentford. Beasts of prey also abounded, lions, leopards, hyenas, grizzly bears, wolves and foxes. If we penetrated to one of the camp fires we should have seen the river-drift hunter chipping or using some of those rude flint implements which lie buried in the Loosdun gravels along with the remains of the animals which he hunted.

THE RIVER-DRIFT MAN.

In the long course of ages, was succeeded by the man of the caverns, like him a hunter, living on the same animals, and more highly equipped for the battle of life. In the course of time the cave man disappeared, the climate and geography of England became almost what it is now, the hunter stage of civilization was superseded by that of the herdsman and the tiller of the ground and the manufacturer of the neolithic age. From the neolithic age down to the present time the progress of man had been unbroken in Britain and in Europe, and the present condition of the European peoples was to be looked upon as the result of a gradual series of changes by which civilization succeeded civilization, and race succeeded race, "the old order yielding place unto the new," because the new order was higher and nobler.

Warning to Policemen.

From the Albany Law Journal.

While defendant (in a case in the Tennessee Supreme Court), a constable, was conveying to jail a prisoner convicted of assault and battery and committed to jail, the prisoner attempted to escape. To prevent the escape defendant, after giving the prisoner notice to halt, shot and killed him. Held, that the homicide was not justifiable. In cases where the person slain is arrested or held in custody for a misdemeanor, and he attempts to escape, it will be murder in the officer to kill him, although he cannot be otherwise overtaken. Yet under some circumstances it may be only manslaughter, as if it appears that death was not intended. It is considered better to allow one guilty only of a misdemeanor to escape altogether than to take his life.

What Has Become of Paul Morphy.

From the New York Sun.

In comparing the chess congress of this year with that of 1856, it is impossible not to recall the melancholy fate of the marvelous American youth who was, perhaps, the greatest of all chess players of any age or clime. In those days, when the New World was just making its prowess felt in the Old; people were accustomed to lump together McCormick's reaper, Hobb's lock-mithry, the yacht America, and Paul Morphy. Paul's laurels were short lived; his brain became disordered, and now few probably know whether the brilliant young fellow who, as a youth, overcame with the greatest ease the most renowned of the world's chess players is living or dead. The fact is that he still assumes to practice his profession of a law in New Orleans, but never has a case in court. He never plays chess, and studiously avoids even the sight of a chessboard or men.

A Wicked Brunette's Dodge.

At an onion party in Rockland, Me., a wicked brunette played a high game for kisses. At a party of this description it is the custom for the girls to go into a darkened room, when one of the party bites a mouthful from an onion. A young man is then admitted, and it is his proud privilege to kiss the batch of girls until he is enabled by the taste to tell which one of them bit the fragrant fruit. The brunette aforementioned, in this case slipped the onion into her pocket instead of biting it, and the spruce Boston drummer, who was summoned to test and find, had kissed five times around the circle, and was beginning again, when a girl whose jealous lover was outside, discovered the trick, and the game was up.

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Advertisers not puffed to-day can either considerably rest for a while in some other number or "go for" the GAZETTE's junior editor, who is alone responsible for the puffs in this column. Satisfaction guaranteed in either case. Abrahams Bros. are constantly adding to the White House stock of furnishing goods. They have just opened a large assortment of Jovian's kid gloves. They say that theirs is the only house in Nevada that keeps the genuine Jovian glove, admitted to be the best manufactured. They have enough clothing in stock to supply the whole population of Reno.

L. Demers keeps a good stock of groceries in his store on the northeast corner of Virginia and Plaza streets. Schooling is doing well in Hagerman's old stand. Hagerman sold thousands of tons of goods in the corner store and schooling will hold on to the old trade, and pick up more.

Knust & Jones is a good place to drop in for a fine cigar.

John Sunderland means to import a stock of fine hosiery direct from the East.

J. K. Everett and Hanford are kept pretty busy in that store around the corner, although the times are dull.

Amite Club hops and Reform Club soirees always make a lively demand for drinks at the Oasis.

R. Buckley has always for sale a variety of salt water fish.

Fogg, at the People's Market, justly prides himself on the excellence of his sausages.

Henry Rhue seems to nab all the lambs in the country for his meat stall.

The I. X. L. continues to do a big business. Myerstein's trade is being greatly increased in the northern valleys.

Always plenty of fresh trout at the Workingman's store, and at McClelland & Simpson's.

The Arcade restaurant did a fine business after the dance last night.

Haller & Grippen at the Nevada Market keep meats of the very best quality. They ship a good deal to points on the railroad.

If you want a good lead pencil, ask Jamison, at the postoffice, for one of Dixon's hexagons.

Nathan makes it a point to keep a thorough assortment of everything in the way of gent's furnishing goods.

Chielovich is still at the Wine House, looking after his Reno business.

A Swiss cheese sandwich and a glass of good beer at the Granite saloon are not bad to take after a dance.

Pinniger & Queen are building up an active demand for "Syrup of Figs."

Unlike Caldera, the Royal Baking Powder will not lift a man off his feet, but it will raise bread.

Brookins knows how to do business in a new country. He can furnish most anything, from a good cigar up to a grand piano.

Indications of Prosperity—Building Notes.

There can be no better proof of the growth and prosperity of a town than that new houses are going up within its limits and no houses vacant. This cheering evidence of progress and of increase in population is shown in Reno to-day. If there is a vacant house in Reno, the GAZETTE's advertising columns do not show it. Not only are the houses in Reno all rented, but new dwellings are constantly going up. In one quarter alone of the town there are now three new houses going up.

Bradley is building two frame cottages on the N. W. corner of Virginia and Fourth streets. Each contains four rooms, in size 12x12. Both are already rented.

Bradley's new hotel on Virginia street, between Third and Fourth, will soon be completed. Plastering was commenced to-day.

John Newmarket is putting on a front addition to his house on Lake street.

E. B. Hancock is building for John Richardson, on Lake street, near the Catholic church, a substantial cottage with two wings.

Work has stopped for the present on the new Catholic church, owing to the want of lumber. The material comes from Truckee. The frame is already up and the building partly boarded in. Work will soon be recommenced, and will be continued until the church is completed. It will be a beautiful structure and will cost about \$6,000.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician retired from practice having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure for Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested his wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Sherar, 119 Powers' Block, Reno, N. V.

A Professor in Difficulties.

A specialized German professor of music was up before Judge Young Wednesday, on a charge of vagrancy. His name is Von Waters. The professor has been employed as a pianist in a naughty saloon upon a certain wicked avenue. He was arrested upon the complaint of a restaurant man, at whose table the professor had fed without payment for some short time past. The musician was greatly surprised when arrested; surprised that he, a musician, with money in the bank, and with plenty of big debts, should be apprehended for the mere omission to pay for a few paltry dinners. Avery gently suggested to the musician that they step over to the bank together and draw a few of the professor's golden coins there deposited, in order to liquidate the petty debt. The prisoner expressed a reluctance to draw so small an amount and averred that he had not with him his check book. But Avery insisted upon calling at the bank. The bank officials failed to recognize Von Waters and his name did not appear on the books. Upon this showing, Avery felt constrained to escort his prisoner to the Justice's court, where he was last seen by the reporter, anxiously waiting for telegraphic assistance from some real or imaginary wife in another town.

A Cemetery Association Founded.

At the meeting of the citizens to consider the organization of a cemetery association, held at the office of Justice Young Wednesday, quite a number were present. The meeting being called to order, E. C. McKinney was elected president and W. L. Needham, secretary. A discussion ensued in which it was evident that all believed in the necessity and expediency of organizing the association. A committee was appointed to receive proposals from parties who have land to dispose of, suitable for cemetery purposes (their advertisement to that effect will be found in another column). The meeting was then adjourned, to meet again on the call of the president, to hear the report of the committee.

It is evident that this movement will be a success. The general opinion seemed to be that sufficient ground should be secured not only for the present, but for the future; that lots should be offered at such reasonable rates that every family in town would be able to possess one. The movers in this excellent public enterprise evidently believe in the future of Reno, in an increase of its population and its increased prosperity, and while lands for a cemetery can be obtained at reasonable rates, think it for the public interest that they should be speedily secured.

Wadsworth Rems.

From our own Correspondent.

Jake Lewis has gone to visit his parents in Iowa and will be absent some three weeks.

A dancing class has been started with Mr. Jas. Crosby as instructor. The significance of this is preparation for a grand masquerade to be given on the evening of the 23d instant, in Gladding's hall. This grand party is the present social excitement.

The past week's bullion shipment from the Alexander mine amounted to \$9148 73.

The season of Lent has caused a fresh demand for fish, and in consequence our fishermen are sending in larger quantities.

Change of Hall.

The Reform Club Wednesday decided to hold their Saturday night meetings hereafter at the theatre. This is a great change for the better.

The Club has lately been imposed upon by youths who wore at the dances ribbons which they had not bought from Club members. They would first see what color was being used, and would then provide themselves outside with slips of the same. The ladies caught a number of these shabby tricksters at the last dance. In the theatre they propose to clear the floor immediately after the meeting and make the spectators of the dancing sit in the gallery. Dancers must buy tickets or ribbons as they enter the door.

I Wish Everybody to Know.

Rev. George H. Thayer, an old citizen in this vicinity, known to every one as a most influential citizen, and Christian Minister of the M. E. Church, just this moment stopped in our store to say, "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to Whiloh's Consumption Cure." It is having a tremendous sale over our counters and is giving perfect satisfaction in all cases of Lung Diseases, such as nothing else has done. Borden, Jan. 15, 1878. Drs. Mattichet & France. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker, Druggists, Reno, Nevada.

A Missing Man.

Information is wanted of Wellyn Snook, a native of Kingston, Ontario, now about 22 years old. When last heard of, he was in Surprise Valley, California, about a year ago. His parents are anxious to hear from him. Any information concerning him can be communicated to them through J. A. Scott, of Reno.

Notes of a Trip to the Northern Country.

J. Wise has returned from a trip up north, where he has been traveling for the I. X. L. He came to Reno from Fort Bidwell. He found money plentiful and the farmers all doing well and expecting good times this year. At Buffalo Meadows he stopped at E. H. Hamlin's hotel, and is enthusiastic in praise of the good cheer and comfort there. Mr. Wise saw B. F. Murphy at his salt works, eight miles this side of Buffalo Meadows. He has a large quantity of salt in store. It is of the finest quality, made from evaporation by solar heat. He is making money out of his enterprise. Nearer home the traveler stops at L. W. Harris' station, where there is first-rate accommodation for man and beast.

In Surprise Valley, Mr. Wise visited the ranch of Wm. Hudspeth, on the Cedarville road. He has 500 acres under cultivation, and last summer he built a fine new house. Visitors are always welcome there. In Lake City, George Miner has his mill in full operation and is making a fine quality of flour.

At Fort Bidwell, George Wilmunster & Co. are doing a good brewery business. They make beer, ale and porter, of excellent quality. L. Adams is now running the hotel at Fort Bidwell, and running it well. His business is flourishing. Peter Peterson has plenty to do in filling contracts for supplies to the Fort.

In Eagleville Mr. Wise sat down to a game of whist with Judge Gee. The Judge is the best whist player in that section. G. W. Raine is doing a large business in furnishing beef cattle for the Reno market. He has 500 acres under cultivation. He says the prospects are fine for a good harvest this season. The farmers are making a large outlay for machinery, etc.

In the southern end of Surprise Valley, W. Opperumith is keeping a station for the accommodation of travelers, who will find a good table there.

Four miles below Pyramid City, John N. Mullen has put up a large stable for the accommodation of the stages. He has a fine new hotel in course of construction, and will keep everything of the best in his line.

George Getenbach traveled with Mr. Wise to have a look at the northern country, with an eye to business.

A Word to the Wise.

At the opening of court Wednesday Judge King called the bar of Washoe county together and told them that he deemed it more professional for attorneys to make motions in court than through the newspapers. In the case of Washoe county vs. Walker, the case was arrested for six weeks and no motion has been made by the District Attorney to have it taken up. In the case of Moresi, Queen had done all the work there was for him to do before any other attorney was engaged. If the court had known that Moresi could hire other counsel, none would have been appointed for him. After having worked up the case, counsel would be entitled to nearly the same fee if discharged, as if retained until the termination of the case. The Judge objects to the prosecuting attorney's going to the papers with things which should be attended to in court.

These remarks were elicited by an article in the Journal this morning, supposed to have originated in the fertile brain of the District Attorney. When that astute lawyer and watchful guardian of the county's interests yesterday arose and moved that the counsel allotted to Moresi by the court be discharged, the court declined to see the matter in the District Attorney's light. Hence those tears for the tax-payers in the morning Journal.

It has occurred to the Judicious Hooker, in daily attendance upon the court, that if economy is to be more closely consulted in the affairs of the county, a good commencement might be made in the office of the District Attorney.

Cattle, Feed and Politics.

G. W. Reine has been feeding 350 cattle on his ranch in Surprise Valley for this market. He has commenced driving them in, and has now 123 head on the road. He says the stock on the northern ranges are suffering for water in some places, and in other places from a scarcity of feed. Sheep will come out well in the spring, speaking generally, as the sheep men have been buying hay for feed.

Mr. Reine states that the people of Surprise and the adjacent country are almost unanimously opposed to a third term for Grant. Either Blaine or Sherman would be their choice.

A Reply.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—I will wrestle, lift or pull sticks with Mr. Hurd, or anybody else in Washoe county for \$300 a side, no less, \$50 forfeit. If any match is made it must be done at once, as I don't expect to remain in Reno long.

A. CALDERA.

Good Logging.

Schaeffer, the Truckee Lumber Co., E. Effen, McIntosh, Katz & Henry, and Pacific Lumber Co., are all logging on the snow this winter. They report the logging very fine. There is from two to three feet.

Text Books in School.

The Board of Education makes the following report relative to the text books to be used in the public schools of Nevada:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, OFFICE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, Carson, Nev., Feb. 10, 1880.

The matter of the proposed changes in the text books at present used in the public schools of the State, especially as regards the readers and arithmetics, has been examined by the State Board of Education with the utmost care in all its bearings. It is not to be denied that some of the books that we have considered are superior to those of similar kind now in use; but we have been unable to devise any plan for the introduction of new books that will not subject parents to such additional expense as they seem hardly able to afford owing to the depressed business affairs throughout the State. We feel confident, moreover, that an efficient corps of teachers will employ successfully in the future the readers and arithmetics that they have profitably used during the last four years, and that they will cheerfully await the arrival of a more auspicious season for making the changes desired. In order to bridge over the gap between the small and large arithmetics of Robinson's series, of which some teachers complain, we have recommended Robinson's Rudiments, which may be used together with the other two books of the series, or to the exclusion of the first book, or not at all, as may be deemed best in the discretion of the teacher.

The Rudiments will be retailed by dealers at 35 cents a copy. The First Book of Robinson's series will be retailed hereafter at 40 cents, and the Complete Arithmetic at \$1.50, a reduction on the former of 10 cents and on the latter of 25 cents. It will be understood that no books will be readopted, and that all text books now in use continue in use subject to the action of the Board.

JOHN H. KINEAD,

A. J. HATCH,

D. R. SESSORS.

The Case of King and Wyman.

Joe. King Thursday gave state's evidence in the district court, against Jos. Wyman. King testified in substance that he conceived the idea of robbing Myers' chest, in which he knew the watch was kept. He did not know there was money with it. He suggested to Wyman that they break into the shop. The first good chance they had was on Dec. 10, when the theft was committed. Wyman did the work; King hid the watch. King got as his share the watch and \$32 50. Wyman got \$65. After the theft they went together to the graveyard, where they divided the booty. Wyman intended to go to Oregon. King said this morning that the robbery was planned by himself, and that Wyman had consented to King's making a confession in order that he (King) might be cleared.

Shortly after King's statement had been made, Wyman withdrew his plea of "not guilty," and confessed his guilt. The court remanded him to jail, to appear for sentence on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. King was discharged from custody.

Myers got his watch back last night. King sent it to him. Myers is out about \$80 by the robbery, having previously recovered some of the stolen money.

Stop That Cough.

With a sample bottle of Kaiser's German Elixir. This is the most wonderful cough remedy ever introduced, being mild, yet positive in its action and soothing under all circumstances. Old and young may use it with perfect security. It is rich in the medicinal properties of tar, wild cherry and horchound. Ask your Druggists, Messrs. Osburn & Shoemaker, about its merits. They sell large quantities of it and say it supercedes all others. The genuine bears the Prussian coat of arms and the facsimile signature of Dr. Kaiser on the wrapper and has his name blown in the glass bottle. Samples 25 cents. Large 75 cents. feb2-d&w

Moresi Convicted.

Pasquale Moresi's trial ended Wednesday afternoon, the jury finding a verdict of guilty, having taken little stock in the plea of "insanity." The charge was assault with a deadly weapon. It was proved that Moresi had entered Bianchi's saloon and fired upon the proprietor without any justification. Moresi will be sentenced on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Another Big Lift.

Caldera, the Italian "strong man," performed another feat Wednesday. In the District Attorney's room in the Court House, he lifted Major Mann from the floor to the table, upon two fingers. Judge King County Clerk Parish and Deputy Sheriff Date Gray were present at the time. The Major weighs 226 pounds.

Next Advertising.

John Roach, instrument maker, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco, issues a very handsome photograph and price list of transits, compasses, microscopes, etc. A copy was laid on the reporter's table by Mr. Slaven.

Not Convinced.

Editor GAZETTE:—The reasons given by Mr. Stubbs for charging the Nevada patrons of the road such excessive freights, fail to satisfy the people of this section of the country. It is undoubtedly true that the freight which might be classed as strictly Nevada freight is not heavy. The freight and passenger business picked up and set down inside the lines is small, but the business done here with outside districts is not small. It is very large and very profitable. There is no part of their line which is maintained at less expense than that through our state, and there is no part which brings in such a revenue. It is the general impression that the Central Pacific returns vast profits to its owners, and it is believed that the money drawn from this state has been used to build the Southern Pacific. This state has paid enormous profits to all of its common carriers, and still does so, and the feeling is strong and deep against the burden the people have to bear. I hope, with the GAZETTE, that there may be no war of the people against the railroads. I believe with you, that such a thing would be disastrous to the state; but if it comes, the railroads will have themselves to blame. They have been hard and unfeeling. The people here have responded heartily to every friendly advance, and have always been ready to be fair in every particular. Unless, however, the companies make some concessions to the universal complaint, there is trouble in store for them.

FEB. 10, 1880.

The Amite Dance Thursday Night.

Fifty couple, more or less, were at the Amite glide in Kimball's hall last Thursday "Hop" won't serve the turn now in speaking of a dance. Hopping has gone quite out of date. Glide is the word, although "slide" might do, and sometimes "snide" be appropriate. They seemed to enjoy each other pretty well. In the absence of White, Jim Stanaway and Pete Evans were pressed into service as callers. Stanaway's voice seemed to require oiling, and Evans' calls had grown somewhat rusty by disuse. The latter seemed to enjoy putting the dancers through a variety of the most labyrinthine figures, so that his "plain quadrille" was in reality a "demition maze." However, there was no mutiny, and neither Stanaway nor Evans was assassinated after the lights were out. Beyond a few minor casualties, such as the crushing of a score or so of fantastic toes, the staving-in of a number of ribs by collisions, and the twisting off of a few ladies' arms, the affair passed off happily. The medley was called shortly after midnight.

Bowman Recants.

In the District Court this morning, District Attorney John Bowman rose from his chair, and approximating an erect position, addressed the court on a question of privilege. He said that he had neither written, instigated, nor suggested the article reflecting upon Judge King which appeared in the Journal of Wednesday.

The Judicial Mind calmly weighed the statement of the honorable and learned attorney, and after a slight pause, the Judicial voice broke the stillness with the remark that the coincidence was singular that what the distinguished counsel had said in court should have found an echo in the Journal of the next day.

The bright, but ineffectual fires of intellect, which had thus far appeared to light up for Mr. Bowman a pathway out of the scrape, were now suddenly quenched by the observations of the Court, and he sat down, extinguished.

Another New House.

F. M. Payne is putting up a one story frame house on Plaza street, opposite the Depot hotel. The building is going up on the site of the one Mr. Payne had destroyed by the fire of March last. Mr. Payne got his insurance of \$500 and thinks it a good time to build again. The new house is for rent.

AT THE CLUB DANCE.

As round and round the hall they went. He whispered soft, with head low bent, "Might I forever dance with thee, What sweeter heaven than that could be?"

But Ah! what made his cheek turn pale, His heart to sink, his limbs to fail? A little thing, scarce worthy note, 'Twas only this—his braces broke.

Sentenced.

Joseph Wyman and Pasquale Moresi were sentenced in the District Court by Judge King Saturday at 10 o'clock. Moresi, convicted of assault with intent to kill, got two and a half years, and Wyman, confessedly guilty of house-breaking, two years in the State's prison.

No Deception Used. It is strange so many people will continue to suffer day after day with Dispepsia, Liver Complaint, Constipation, Sour Stomach, General Debility, when they can procure at our store SHILOH'S VITALIZER, free of cost if they do not cure or relieve them. Price, 75c. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker, Druggists, Reno, Nevada.

Davidson, the jeweler, is a good one. jan18

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If you are in the work shop, on the farm, at the desk, anywhere, and feel that your system needs cleansing, toning or stimulating, Hop Bitters is what you need.

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DROWNED. The Body of the Missing Child Found at Noon Saturday.

Little Frank Harvey, the two-year-old son of Mr. Harvey the auctioneer, was missing Friday afternoon, and it was at once conjectured that the child had been drowned. The fear proved too true for the little one's dead body was found at 12 M. Saturday. The particulars of the sad occurrence are as follows. Little Frank was playing in Mr. Harvey's yard, with his brother, not four years old, and a little girl of Mr. Cohn's. Mr. Harvey's house is nearly in the rear of Captain Briggs', facing on the narrow street north of West street, and about a hundred yards from the river dam. The children wandered out of sight, and after a time the two elder ones returned, but Frank was not with them. When questioned about him, they could tell nothing. The children showed where they had all been, leading the way down to the edge of the Lake Mills ditch, but no trace of the missing boy could be seen. An anxious search was at once commenced. The water was shut off from the ditch, to allow of a thorough search, and the river scoured above and below the dam until night, but all to no purpose. Saturday many persons took part in the search, and about half past twelve o'clock the body was found. It was lying in the gully through which the waste water from the English Mill ditch and the Orr ditch finds its way into the river, which it enters just below the dam. There are only a few inches of water flowing through the gulch, and it is a wonder that a child could be found in such a shallow place. The child probably fell in attempting to cross one of the planks that bridge the tiny stream, and was made insensible by the fall. The body was found under a cake of ice.

Workingman Jones.

This noted personage who erstwhile baked the beans and broiled the steaks in Chamberlain's kitchen, and who with the erudite Friedman contended for the leadership of that great party which did not elect any of its candidates two years ago, recently beheld once more the scene of his former labors. He was escorted with much formality by Deputy United States Marshal Ruse, from Winnemucca, and went through to Carson, where he is to be tried for tampering with the mails. Some such little trifle as drawing money on another man's postal order was taken advantage of by the lecherous officers to deprive the patriot and statesman of his liberty.

A Scurvy Trick.

Many of those who held tickets for reserved seats at the theatre Friday night experienced much annoyance to find their seats occupied. No seats had been marked "taken," and hence the trouble. J. Stanaway explained to a GAZETTE reporter the cause of the trouble. Early that evening he left his cigar stand for a few minutes and ran up stairs to the theatre. During his absence, some one entered his stand, and put so many marks on the glass covering the diagram of the seats that it was afterwards impossible to tell which had been reserved and which had not. The brush and ink were carried off. Of course it was impossible, after that, to mark the seats in the hall.

A Drunken Explanation.

"The boys" had some fun with a drunken fellow in Dave McFarland's saloon the other night, at about the hour when the jerked buffalo meat is brought forth with its attendant crackers. The victim was asleep in a chair, and while in that condition, his left eye was artistically blacked with a piece of burnt cork. Then the inebriate was aroused and asked how he came to get his eye looking like that. Surveying his darkened optic in the bar room mirror, he answered: "I ever row down in th' rally. Licked three men. Got hit on th' eye (hic)." "The boys" carefully tied a piece of steak on his unblackened eye, then turned him loose.

Those Piercing Cries Friday Night.

Just as the theatre was out Friday night a fearful outcry was made in the alley connecting Sierra with Virginia street and running through the first block north of the railroad track. The noise drew a crowd to the place in a few minutes. The disturbance was caused by Pat McKearn, who saw W. H. Glancy enter his (Glancy's) paint shop in the alley and imagined that a robbery was being committed. As soon as the idea dawned on Pat's mind, he yelled "If Oll' Jim Bradley," loud enough to be heard half a dozen blocks away. Officers Ross and Avery were promptly on hand, and soon pacified the perturbed Patrick.

That was a pretty big tree that the Truckee Republican spoke of the other day; but they had a bigger one at Katz & Henry's mill in Dog Valley last week. Tom Hattinson dug it to the mill with five yoke of oxen. It scaled 6,220 feet.

The McGinleys were at Adin the other day, on the way to Redding.

The snow is fast disappearing from the hills again.

Anyone finding three false teeth will please hand them to Sheets or Wagar.

Mr. Rankin will address the Reform Club next Saturday evening on Richard Brinsley Sheridan.

The German musician arrested on a charge of vagrancy, paid his restaurant bill of four bits and was allowed to skip.

Sheriff Walker collected \$376 for gaming licenses during the month ending February 9, and \$888 48 from miscellaneous licenses.

Hinds & Young of San Jose, are making preparations to run the Banner mill this summer. It has plenty of good timber and a flume to the track at Prosser creek.

A cigar or cigarette holder was picked up at the seminary the morning after the last musicale. None of the young ladies claim it, and the owner can have it by applying to Mr. Jenvey.

As yet no match has been made between Hurd and the Italian. Caldera does not wish to wrestle, pull sticks or lift with anyone for so small an amount as fifty dollars. But \$50 and the gate money should make it an object.

Justice is assessed 50 cents.

The Knights of Pythias propose to hold socials.

Bender and Fassett are learning to ride their bicycle in the Pavilion.

If Hurd and Caldera pull sticks, who is to pay for the timber they break up.

Mrs. Alt's dancing class will hereafter meet in the Reform Club hall instead of Kimball's.

A Eureka lady has hair five feet, four inches long. Miss Negus, a Carson lady, now living in Reno, has a splendid head of hair. It is four feet, eight inches in length, by actual measurement.

A. L. Hurd, who in the Journal this morning challenged Caldera to a match of pulling sticks, used to be stationed here as section boss on the Central Pacific. He is a very large man, over six feet high and uncommonly strong.

High Priced Butter.

Mr. A. W. Cheever, Editor N. E. Farmer, owns a fine dairy and gets a high price for fancy prints. In an editorial Nov. 2d, he said, "The Perfect Butter Color made by Wells, Richardson & Co., we have used for several years, and we have found nothing equalling it, although we have tested about everything of the kind made in this or the Old Country. It is the strongest, cleanest, purest and cheapest butter color we have ever found, and for all we can see, it is absolutely perfect. It should entirely supersede carrots for coloring butter, and also all the preparations of Anatto." Farmers if your butter is white do not fail to try this splendid preparation. For full particulars inquire of Osburn & Shoemaker, druggists, Reno, Nevada, who have it for sale, as well as all druggists and merchants generally. sep4-6m

The Opium Smoking Law.

The Supreme Court Friday gave a decision in the case of the State vs. Ah Sam, declaring the law against opium smoking to be constitutional, and confirming the judgment of the lower court. Ah Sam was convicted in Humboldt county of opium smoking, and his case was taken on appeal to the Supreme Court. This decision settles the question as to the constitutionality of the statute. Humboldt county seems to be plagued with the opium vice, for seven indictments against opium smokers and sellers of opium have just been found by its Grand Jury.

A Solid Valentine.

A certain young gentleman in town Saturday received as a valentine a fancy box containing some well baked beans, with the following verse enclosed. The inference is that he had been complaining of his boarding house fare.

A man of your means
Should dine upon beans.
At least, on St. Valentine's day.
With beans for your diet
You will please to keep quiet,
Next time the head cook is away.

Real Estate.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded since the last report.

C. P. R. to H. M. Yerington, 280 acres of land in south end of county; consideration \$1000.

Same to same in same locality, 160 acres of land; \$400.

H. W. Roberts to Sisson, Wallace & Co., 160 acres of land near Verdi, \$350.

(Uncredited Work.)

In the school report published in the GAZETTE a few days since no mention was made of the work of Mrs. Bourne, the assistant teacher in the three highest departments. The following is an estimate of her labors: She teaches 98 pupils, and on an average, gives each 2 64.93 lessons per day, which is equivalent to giving 250 pupils each one lesson every day.

A Cure and Preventive.
Tolu Rock and Rye is one of the great medicines of the day. The ingredients are all recommended by eminent physicians for coughs and colds. The syrup of tolu has relieved thousands and saved many from settling into consumption. It has been the specific in half the households of the Eastern states for many years. Pure rye whiskey is almost universally used as a strengthener of weak lungs, and when mixed with tolu and rock candy the preparation possesses the good qualities of them all. Try it. Read the ad.

Sunday Evening Lectures.

Next Sunday evening the Rev. Mr. Bluet of the Baptist church will deliver the first of a series of lectures on the "Prodigal son." He will discuss this subject in four lectures, on consecutive Sabbath evenings. The beautiful parable will be treated by the reverend gentleman with that spontaneous eloquence, warmth of feeling, and richness of illustration for which he is noted. The public may expect a high degree of instruction and entertainment from these lectures.

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Ten Minutes to Spare.

Jos. Milney, a mining engineer of Battle Mountain, was in town Thursday on his way to Bodie. Inspecting of the Nevada Central Railroad, he said the road was completed just ten minutes before 12 o'clock on Monday last. Lander county had agreed to pay \$200,000 should the road be completed by noon of that day. Thus the ten minutes to spare made a difference to the syndicate of \$200,000.

Bright Newspapers.

From the S. F. Stock Report.
We assert without hesitation and without fear of successful contradiction, that the Nevada newspapers, small as they are, and shrinking under the increased price of paper, caused by the business boom, are the brightest journals published on the American continent. Take a little newspaper published in an obscure mining camp in Nevada, and a metropolitan paper in one of the biggest Eastern cities. One reason for this is that they are so easily read. Life is too short and time too precious for anybody except a millionaire or a bookworm, to wade through one of the mammoth pamphlets published in the Eastern cities under the designation of newspapers.

Little Leadville Lawlessness.

Let jumping and mine jumping have commenced again at Leadville.

At Leadville last week's free fight in a dance cellar took place. Several persons were injured.

At Leadville last week W. Buch was accidentally shot while handling a pistol. He is not expected to live.

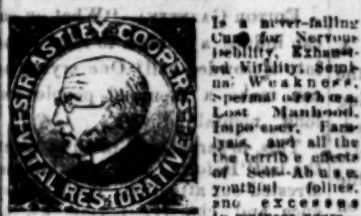
At Leadville, February 8th, Jim Laagan of Denver shot Jim Burns. The killing was considered justifiable.

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We propose to give you a list of the most desirable of these goods, giving opposite each article its regular retail value, and sell to you at the rate of Five Dollars' worth for \$1. For instance, on receipt of 50 cts. we will send you, without any article to the value of \$2.50, on receipt of \$1, articles to the value of \$5, and so on throughout the entire list. Below we give a list of the most valuable of these goods:

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- Gent's New Style Scarf Rings or Pins 85c
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- Bosom Studs, engraved or stone 85c
- Round or Long Link Vest Chains 85c
- Round or Long Link Vest Chains 85c
- Ladies' long and round fancy Bosom Pins 85c
- stone or engraved Bosom Pins 85c
- engraved and fancy Cuff Pins 85c
- Any three of the above articles will be sent by mail, postage paid, on receipt of 50 cents.
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- first-class scale Rings, double-heart, shield, etc. 1.00
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- long fancy shawl or bosom Pins 1.00
- fancy extension ear-drops to match 1.00
- Gent's Onyx, Amethyst or Topaz sleeve Buttons 1.00
- Onyx, Amethyst or Topaz shirt Studs (3) 1.00
- cameo and other stone Rings, large 1.00
- heavy Link Vest Chain and charm 1.00
- extra fine Scarf Rings or Pins 1.00
- Any five of the above articles will be mailed free to any address on receipt of \$1.
- Gent's long new style Vest Chain and charm 1.45
- Scarf rings and pins, new styles and extra fine 1.45
- heavy set stone and fancy Studs 1.45
- or Ladies' cameo, amethyst and onyx Sleeve Buttons 1.45
- or Ladies' cameo, amethyst and other stone Rings 1.45
- Ladies' long and very fancy cuff pins 1.45
- extra finished onyx, amethyst and engraved pins 1.45
- extra finished onyx, amethyst and engraved ear-drops 1.45
- long opera or guard chains 1.45
- fancy peck chains and charms 1.45
- Any six of the above articles will be mailed free on receipt of \$2.
- Gent's solitaire or cluster Australian diamond pins 1.90
- single stone Austrian diamond studs (3) 1.90
- heavy large solitaire Australian diamond, single studs 1.90
- fine finished long link vest chain and charm 1.90
- very nobby and latest style scarf rings and pins 1.90
- Ladies' cameo, onyx and amethyst sleeve buttons 1.90
- Ladies' Russian necklaces very heavy 1.90
- Ladies' long opera and guard chains, very heavy 1.90
- Australian diamond and other fancy pins and ear-drops 1.90
- stone set and other fancy pins 1.90
- heavy engraved locket for miniatures 1.90
- chased Bracelets, broad ex. heavy 1.90
- Any eight of the above articles you may select will be mailed to you free on receipt of \$3.
- Ladies' fancy neck chain and medallion charms in fancylined jewel cases 2.50
- long opera chain, with or without slide and Tassel 2.50
- heavy large miniature medallion locket 2.50
- heavy jet and gold bracelets 2.50
- cameo medallion pin and ear-drops or Jewel's massive wedding ring, plain or band 2.50
- or Gent's extra large cameo, amethyst or onyx rings 2.50
- long shawl or breast pin, finest quality 2.50
- or Gent's cameo, amethyst or onyx quality 2.50
- Gent's heavy long link massive vest chain 2.50
- cluster or solitaire Central American diamond pins 2.50
- stone and fancy leaf scarf pins and rings 2.50
- stone and fancy pattern studs (3) 2.50
- massive solitaire stud 2.50
- Any ten of the above articles will be sent by mail free on receipt of \$5.
- All of this jewelry is of good quality, but, of course, the quality depends greatly on the price. For instance, the \$5.00 articles are of a much finer quality and finish, besides being heavier than the \$2.50 ones.

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For the benefit of parties wishing to act as agents for the above goods, we make the following special offer:

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1. Pure Abyssinian Gold open-face Geneva watch, stem-winder.

1. Pure Abyssinian Gold stem-winding watch illuminated dial, by which you can tell the time in the darkest night.

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Any of these four watches will be sent alone for \$5.00, or the watch and either a Gent's heavy Abyssinian Gold vest chain and charm, or Ladies' solid Abyssinian Gold long opera or opera guard chain, for \$5.

Agents who cannot send the full \$15.00 at once can send small orders as they procure them, and when said orders shall have amounted to \$25.00, we will send the watch FREE OF FURTHER CHARGE.

Read What the Chicago Press Say of Us, and Send in Your Orders.

The Sentinel of Chicago, Sept. 9, says: "We call the attention of our readers to the new advertisement of the Inventors' Agency, No. 116 N. Washington street, Chicago. What the Inventors' Agency agrees to do, they will do. The Sentinel has advertised for the company since its first publication, and we have yet to hear of the first complaint against it."

The attention of readers is called to the advertisement of the Inventors' Agency, office had rooms located at 116 Washington St., Chicago. From personal inquiry and on the recommendation of the city press, we think our friends can do no better when wanting goods in that line, than give them a trial."

The American Stockman, Sept. 13, says: "We believe this institution perfectly sound and responsible, and consequently persons need have no hesitation about sending for any desired goods."

As to our responsibility, we also refer you to the following firms: Blomgren Bros., 103 & 104, Clark St., Chicago, Ill.; Miller, Wagner & Co., 116 N. Washington St., Chicago, Ill.; and a list of other firms.

Before Ordering, Read the Following: All sums of money to the amount of \$1 or over, should be sent by Registered Letter.

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HARMON WRIGHT, Reno,

A LITTLE INCIDENT.

The air is still, the sky is bright,
Clear flows the shining river,
Yet all around the hills are white—
The snowbanks seem to shiver.

The winter, wearing summer's smile
And spring summer's gladness,
Like human faces, smiling while
The heart is full of sadness.

Now from its hive creeps forth a bee,
Lured by the treacherous brightness;
It spreads its wings as if to see
They still had strength and lightness.

Away it flies, with noisy hum,
To seek a field of clover,
For insect, while all nature's hum
A worker, though a rover.

A cloud has drifted over the sun,
Its radiance all obscuring,
And through the air a chill has run,
A touch of frost ensuring.

The bee has fallen, cold and dead,
Against a twig will perish,
Told the people clover's head,
Hatched its life from ever.

A FINE EDIFICE.

Detailed Description of the New Catholic Church Now Going up in Reno.

The Catholic church now building, is situated on the corner of Sixth and Lake streets.

The dimensions of the foundation are 42 feet 6 inches by 72 feet 6 inches. The tower placed on the center of front, 15x15. The foundation walls are sunk below the grade line two feet, and are two feet thick, of solid stone masonry. The foundation walls above the grade are of brick, three feet high, with numerous projections to receive buttresses. The super-structure is baloon frame, both substantial and ornamental.

The sills are 6x8, the floor joists 3x12, the studding 6x6 and 3x6, the roof, self-supporting trusses. The whole exterior is boarded diagonally, and finished in redwood. The cornices are geometrical figures, used in tracery and panels. The roof is shingled with fancy cut shingles, painted to imitate slate, an iron cresting extending the length of the ridge. The rear gable is surmounted with a cross. The windows are 3x11, with gothic heads, massive caps and sills. The height of the tower on front will be about 100 feet from grade to tip of cross. It will be ornamented in the same style as the main building.

The main entrance is in front of the tower. The doors to the main entrance are gothic, with geometrical figures used in panels, also gothic cap over doors, supported by columns. The second story of tower will have a million gothic window on each side to give light to the choir. The belfry windows will be the same as the choir windows, with the exception of flat ventilators. The double buttresses on the corner of the building are surmounted with ornamental pinnacles.

The interior of the church is plastered, with hard finish, ceilings corniced and paneled, a large wheel window lighting up the arch in the rear of the altar. The entire walls are wainscotted six feet high. The interior is divided into nave, sanctuary and vestibule, with open staircase extending from vestibule to choir. The space in the nave is divided into three rows of seats and two aisles. The edifice is a type of English gothic church architecture, and will be, when completed, a great ornament to the town. Its cost will be in the neighborhood of \$6,000. The construction of such a fine building is highly creditable to the Catholic congregation of Reno. As soon as the needed lumber is received from Truckee, work will be recommenced, and will be continued until the completion of the church. The foregoing description is made up from the plan and specifications.

He Showed Them How It Went.

"Oh! Indeed! There it is," he said, as with a smile he walked up to the new bicycle, standing in front of Osburn & Shoemaker's, where it was being looked over by an admiring crowd. "Oh yes; how nice and easy it must ride. I will show you how it goes, as I have ridden a two-wheeled velocipede—Smith, hold it while I mount the thing."

The mounting was easily accomplished, with the assistance of Smith, and the enthusiast steadied himself against a post, and directed Smith to "let go."

"Oh! Isn't this nice. I am sure I can ride it," and with a few movements backward and forward to get a start, he struck out.

"Ah! Oh! O-o-o-o-o!" And suddenly the small wheel which travels in the rear of the beast rose to a position in mid air, and our hero alighted on the bosom of his mother earth, also on his shirt bosom, in anything but a graceful or comfortable position, with the machine on top of him.

He was carried away by two of the by-standers, with a sprained ankle. The wheel was uninjured.

A Card.

I desire to return my sincere thanks to the citizens of Reno for their kind assistance in the search for the body of our little Frankie, and to Mr. Stone and Mrs. T. E. Haydon, particularly for their valuable aid.

A. B. HARTY.

DISTRICT COURT, KINGS.

S. O. Loenas vs. Bianchi & Co.—A jury was impaneled in the case, which occupied the court during Saturday, and the trial is still proceeding. The plaintiffs closed their evidence and the defendants moved the court for a judgment of non-suit on the ground that the contract upon which the motion is pending.

J. J. Armstrong vs. James Mayberry—plaintiff granted two days time to file amendment to motion for new trial.

Gooch vs. Louis Dean—defendant granted five days additional time to answer.

M. Lippman vs. W. A. Walker—defendant granted five days additional time to answer.

Circio vs. James Mayberry—defendant granted five days additional time to answer.

S. O. Loenas vs. Bianchi & Co.—Verdict for pl. for \$230. Dft. granted five days stay of execution to file notice of motion of new trial.

P. N. Marker vs. H. E. Casey et al.—Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of complaint.

The case of A. J. Bunting vs. the C. P. R. Co. and Michael Harrison vs. the C. P. R. Co. are now before the court. These two actions are brought to recover damages for injuries sustained by the plaintiffs in an accident which occurred in the town of Reno about two years ago. The plaintiffs were attempting to cross the track in a wagon at the intersection of Sierra street and Commercial Row, and the train was run over by a train. The horses were killed, and one of the men considerably injured. An action was brought against the railroad company in the District Court, and a non-suit granted the defendants in November, 1878. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court which sent the case back for trial. After a long delay the suits have at last come up for trial in the District Court again. It is said that there are over fifty witnesses to be examined.

A Rousing House.

The Reform Club meeting in the Nevada Theatre on Saturday evening was the largest that society has ever had. The theatre was completely filled. Not a vacant chair could be found anywhere in the house, and much of the standing room was occupied. (What on earth can induce a woman to take a baby into a crowded hall? One crying baby can make a thousand people swear long mental oaths.) The subject of R. L. Fulton's address was "Law and Politics," a discourse on various popular fallacies in relation to the functions and the power of governments, and on the mistakes of law-makers. The musical portion of the entertainment was very pleasing, and several ladies gave readings with taste and expression. At the close of the entertainment several well-known individuals went forward and signed the pledge amid a burst of applause.

The dance that followed the meeting was not so well attended as was hoped and expected. There were fewer dancers on the floor than at the last meeting in Winchel & Cunningham's hall. The Club has been put to much greater expense by hiring the theatre, and unless the public gives substantial aid, the meetings will have to be held in the hall again. The collection taken up on Saturday evening amounted to only a few dollars.

Leather in the Rough.

C. A. Bragg made a trip to Virginia City on Saturday and bought 700 dry hides, 700 kip and calf skins and 2,000 sheep skins, worth about \$6,500. They will be shipped to San Francisco, consigned to W. B. Sumner & Co. This is the first deal Mr. Bragg has made in this line of business, in which he intends to engage extensively. He will give this branch of his business his attention hereafter, and is prepared to pay cash for all the goods offered. Give him a call. See ad. in another column.

Not a Sale.

L. H. Morse, treasurer of the Bullion mine of Paradise, was in town last evening. He says there is no truth in the reported sale of the mine to New York parties. A large amount of stock is locked up in Winnemucca waiting their order, but no money has been paid on it. General R. M. Clarke owns one-fifth of the mine.

A Brakeman's Arm Broken.

C. Schurr, a brakeman on No. 5, fell from the top of a car at Truckee Saturday night, and broke the small bone of his right fore-arm. He came on to Reno, supposing he had merely received a sprain. Dr. Bergman examined the arm yesterday, and set the fracture. Schurr has gone to the Railroad Hospital at Sacramento.

A Report About Suro.

The Suro Independent of Monday morning had the following: It is rumored that Adolph Suro has sold most of his interest in the Suro tunnel, and that he has resigned as superintendent of the same, the resignation to take place March 1st. A reporter of the Independent spoke to him last Saturday morning of the rumor, but was unable to learn what amount of truth there was in it.

EDITOR GAZETTE: "What on earth can induce a woman to take a baby into a crowded hall? One crying baby can make a thousand people swear long, mental oaths."

This, in parenthesis, is an account of the last "Reform Club" entertainment, arrested our attention. With all deference and charity, permit us, as a mother, to ask: Which is the most productive of real and true reform: to indulge in the use of "long mental oaths," or to deny yourself a little pleasure, that some less favored mother may receive benefit from the more civilized part of the "Reform Club" programme? Which is the most Christ-like, to "suffer" a dear, little, rosy-cheeked baby to be brought into a "crowded hall," or to listen to the crash and din of that relic of barbarism—the dance—which, we are told, is prolonged away out into the holy Sabbath day?

MINNIE.

We are sorry that we cannot agree with our amiable and doubtless fair but clearly illogical correspondent. A baby in its mother's arms or in its cradle—what can be more beautiful! And certainly no one but a beast would object to the mere presence of a baby anywhere. But, unfortunately, babies are apt to cry. Now when people go to hear music, singing or other form of entertainment in a public hall, they have a right to undisturbed enjoyment of the proceedings. It is patent to everybody that a crying baby is a great annoyance to any audience, and a lady who is bound to enjoy herself at the cost of vexation to half a thousand people, may perhaps be considered just a trifle selfish.

[ED. GAZETTE.]

Distances in Nevada.

Nevadans are rather inclined to exaggerate to new comers the distance of prominent land marks. Thus an old inhabitant will ask a "Johnny-comelately":

"Young fellow, how far off do you suppose that there mounting peak is?"

The new-comer will look hard at the object, and mindful of the rare clearness of the atmosphere, he will add two or three miles to his first mental estimate, and say:

"About ten miles I guess."

Then the old inhabitant will laugh a pitying laugh and after enjoying the answer for a minute or so, he will say:

"Why, young fellow, the nearest of them mountings is more'n twenty-five miles away."

Should a stranger, for instance, ask how far it is to the summit of Mt. Rose from Reno, in an air line, he is likely to be told, at least twenty-five miles, whereas the distance, as measured on a map of the government survey, is not over thirteen.

Assault and Battery.

Tuesday night Thomas Schweri met M. Lippman in Hammond & Wilson's stable, and a discussion ensued in regard to some business transaction. After a time Schweri became angry and seized Lippman by the throat, when a short struggle ensued, in which neither was injured. Lippman immediately swore out a warrant for the arrest of Schweri, who was promptly apprehended and taken before Justice Young, who put him under bonds to appear at 10 A. M. on Friday morning for trial, with the Tommie Michael brothers as sureties. When arrested, Schweri was found to be "pretty well armed." He carried a six shooter and a deringer, besides a butcher knife and two pocket knives.

An Interesting Anecdote from Susanville.

This singular story comes from Susanville. It appears that a young couple returned from church and sat up in the parlor together until past midnight, undoubtedly kissing much, but saying little. At any rate they were so quiet that when a lodger in the house awoke about one o'clock and saw the light shining, he thought that all the inmates had gone to bed and left the lamp burning. So he got up, stepped into the parlor in his shirt, and unobserved of the loving couple there, blew out the light, then went back to bed. The pair aforesaid were not much disturbed by the interruption, and got along very well without the light. But they thought the joke too good to keep.

Granite Meadows Heard From.

W. E. Ward was Tuesday in from Ward Bros' ranch at Granite Meadows, in the western part of Humboldt county. The brothers contracted last fall to sell their cattle this season to Baily of Virginia, so they are not much concerned about the state of the market.

Mr. Ward says that mountain quail are thriving in the neighborhood of his ranch, which is 130 miles north-east of Reno. There were none of these birds there a few years ago. Some were taken to that part of the country and set at liberty, and they have since been rapidly multiplying and spreading through that section.

Chase & Thyes have hung out a very handsome new sign. It was painted by J. M. White, and is an artistic piece of workmanship. The lettering is in white and gilt upon a black ground. The sign cost \$40.

JOTTINGS.

Colds are common.
Beautiful weather again.

The Grant mine near Tahoe has some very rich ore.

A Truckee Chinaman is the happy father of twins.

The streets are almost as dry and smooth as in summer.

John Rapp has been appointed Postmaster at Steamboat.

A spelling match is talked of, to be held in the M. E. church.

Geo. Wedekind will be in Reno again in two weeks to tune pianos.

It is reported that Hon. W. L. Ross is preparing to remove to Illinois.

The Eureka Consolidated has declared a dividend of thirty cents per share.

The latest dance is "the racket," one and a hop—two and a slide—three and a kick.

A letter for Miss Addie Woods is held for postage in the Virginia post-office.

The river is clear of sawdust again, and a few trout have been seen near the bridge.

J. K. Everett has coconuts, very nice, and all the delicacies known as "the fat of the land."

Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office will hereafter be open on Sundays from 9 A. M. to 10 A. M. only.

Judge McKinney, of the Fifth Judicial District, who is Grand Master of Nevada Masons, is in town.

The Highland Ditch Company has levied an assessment (No. 14) of 60 cents a share, delinquent March 17.

Hartley makes up an attractive window with large oysters, fresh Truckee trout, porter house steak, etc.

Susanville is to have a masquerade ball and Austin has had one. Reno should also have one, for a change.

Next Sunday, the 22nd inst., will be the anniversary of Washington's birthday. The legal holiday will be on Monday.

The case of Eli Rice vs. Louis Dean has been transferred from the calendar of the District Court to the U. S. Circuit Court.

Wild ducks are said to be destroying wheat near Antioch, Cal. A Reno gunner wishes they would "try that on" around Reno.

W. Goeggel is said to be one of the best watchmakers on the coast. He was employed in San Francisco to do the most delicate work.

John A. Jones, the ex-leader of the Washoe "Workingmen," has been held to answer to the charge of forgery before the next U. S. Grand Jury.

The fair Episcopians of Eureka are attending the performances of the Colville Opera troupe, which are far from being appropriate to Lent.

Meyers & Lachman have clothes pins, brooms and nearly every other useful thing to sell as well as the luxuries which fill up their shelves.

W. M. Boardman is one of the members of the State Republican Committee. He is utterly opposed to Grant, does not disapprove of Blaine, and has a preference for Garfield.

The assessment of \$2 on the stock of the Agricultural Society becomes delinquent March 19 (day of sale April 19). The assessment was levied in order to pay off interest over due.

Flint has two lots of splendid beef cattle feeding on the meadows. The most of some that he has just killed is at the Truckee Market, and would be hard to beat anywhere.

Whitehead Bros are going to plant some Egyptian corn to see if it will grow without irrigation. They think it will do well and become a staple.

Parnell, the Irish agitator, will be in Reno on his way to Virginia about April 1st. He will be invited to speak here by the Irishmen of Washoe county.

It is a sad thing to see three young men start for church and then unanimously decide to put the six bits that were intended for the contribution box into billiards.

Davidson shows a great deal of enterprise in the management of his business. He guarantees to do first-class work on watches and jewelry. He always has a large stock of jewelry, silver ware, etc. on hand.

Knaus & Jones have just imported a lot of concentrated tobacco juice which, when diluted with water, makes a superior sheep-dip. It is sold at a low price, and is warranted to kill all the ticks.

A correspondent writes that if that prominent merchant makes the third attempt to force himself into the sleeping room of the young girl who takes care of his children, he will be made the hero of a story.

The railroad-crossings in Reno are in a disgraceful condition. There is not one in town that is not a regular spring breaker. People driving over them have to go very slow or they are in danger of being tumbled out of their buggies.

W. B. Chamberlain, Frank Fret, and Flint have been having some sport in snaring fish in the river. While fish are reported scarce, but one angler says he saw eighteen bushels of suckers in a given spot in the stream. Chamberlain is considered "the boss" at wiring fish.

BARON ON THE WAR PATH.

The Telegraphs a Feroocious Challenge to an Editor Man.

There has been quite an exodus of our citizens. Ten left on the train last night for Carson to attend a lawsuit, Lovelocks vs. Asher. The same train brought Sheriff Miller to arrest Princess Sarah. It seems that she took offence at something published in the *Silver State*, and sent the editor a challenge to fight a duel. Before it was rewritten, it was a literary curiosity, and bloodthirsty is no name for it. She insisted on sending it by telegraph against the advice and wishes of the operator, who was not aware at the time that he was violating the law by sending it, but objected to sending it simply because of its absurd character. Both operators went to Winnemucca with Miller this morning—as witnesses I suppose. A. B. C.

Lovelocks, Nev. Feb. 17, '80.

The Cattle Market.

E. W. Crutcher has sold to Wagner of Oakland, 110 beef cattle at \$35 per head.

L. Clark and David Martin are on the road from Duck Flat with 250 cattle which they expect to feed awhile here and then sell.

Hildreth, of the big cattle firm of Dunphy & Hildreth, returned to San Francisco without making any purchases. The prices asked were too high to suit him.

The market is now inactive. Buyers are holding off. Seven cents is asked for good cattle.

R. Kirman is down from Virginia to-day with an eye to beef. He does a large business in buying cattle.

The Pyramid Lake Trouble.

Indian Agent Spencer, of Pyramid lake reservation, has decided not to take any action, at least for the present, against the Whiteheads, Mullin and Dr. Woods, being pretty well convinced that they have a valid claim to their land. The Agent is in correspondence with the authorities in Washington, in regard to the claims of the white settlers. It is possible that none of them will be disturbed.

An Important Case Continued.

The case of Bunting and Harrison vs. the Central Pacific Railroad Company has been continued until the spring term of the District Court. The continuance was granted owing to the illness of W. H. L. Barnes, of San Francisco, the leading counsel for the Railroad Company. The order granting a continuance provides that the defendants shall pay the expenses of witnesses and the costs of preparing for trial incurred by the plaintiffs. The counsel for the plaintiffs are Haydon & Queen and Boardman.

Remember.

Don't forget that you can get the Weekly GAZETTE and any other paper you want by applying at this office, nearly as cheap as you can the stranger alone.

The question having arisen in the court house as to the ownership of a certain plug, piece or parcel of tobacco—held that the leaving of such tobacco on the table constituted abandonment of title, and forfeited the equity of redemption.

Mrs. Alt's dancing class is already so large that she is obliged to give her pupils private lessons. The Reform Club hall was filled with dancers last evening. White does the calling and Kaufman leads the music.

Don't.

Don't speak angrily to a child. Don't kick a dog when he is asleep. Don't go back on the friends of your parents. Don't often visit your friends at meal time. Don't neglect a cough thinking it will cure itself. (Thousands die of consumption by so doing.) Don't forget Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. For it cures a cough or cold in one half the time required by any other medicine, and is the only medicine known that positively cures consumption in its early stages. Sold by all Druggists.

Fees of Doctors.

The fees of doctors is an item that very many persons are interested in just at present. We believe the schedule for visits is \$3, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and in need of a daily visit, over \$1000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the \$1000 and all the years sickness.—Post.

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PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Virginia city is full of idle men. Redding Republicans prefer Blaine. A Chinaman stayed to death in Sacramento the other day.

A Chinaman died of starvation in Virginia City last Saturday.

The Bodie mines paid a million and a half in dividends last year.

There are fifteen hundred artesian wells in San Francisco, the *Call* says. Professor McDonald, leader of the Sarsfield Guard Band of Virginia, is dead.

The influx of Chinese along the line of the Gila causes much complaint in Arizona.

A 1,200-pound black bear was shot on the Centennial, Los Angeles, last week.

The C. P. R. R. rolling mill at Sacramento will be 250 feet long by 80 feet wide.

A golden wedding was celebrated in Eureka last week—first occurrence of the kind in that place.

Twenty-two is the average daily number of emigrants leaving Omaha for the West.

Colonel Hardin has shipped over 5,000 head of beef cattle from Winnemucca to San Francisco this winter.

Large numbers of cattle in the southern part of Humboldt county are dying from scarcity of feed and exposure.

Some of the roads running south from Eureka are said to be banked with snow to the depth of 20 feet in places.

A Post Rupert Indian named John was recently arrested for drunkenness at Victoria, and hung himself in his cell within two hours after being locked up.

The Au Fout club of Carson has subsided, owing to the omission of some of its high-toned members to pay their dues. The paying members tired.

Tom Lawton has been seen again—this time in Lander county, Nevada. Thomas shows good judgment in not coming any nearer Sacramento the *Bee* thinks.

The artesian well sunk by Mr. Paull for Geo. Parrott at Battle Mountain is down to a depth of 150 feet and flowing a splendid stream of clear water.

When the recent slide occurred in Fraser river, a wave of water went racing up the stream, raising the level of the water as much as ten feet at a farm eight or ten miles above the slide.

The B.C. *Colonist* estimates the number of head of cattle in peril at 50,000, and says if its worst fears are confirmed the province must draw largely for meat on Oregon and California for at least three years to come.

A man named James Pryor was instantly killed at Olema, early last Sunday morning. He had been in the village drinking late on Saturday night, and on his way home he fell into the creek that runs through Olema and broke his neck.

The quartz mill, at old Oreana, is to be removed to Trinity district for the purpose of working ore from the Numa mine, the *Silver State* says. It was built to work in Trinity, was removed to Oreana, and is now going back to Trinity.

A lamb was recently born near Los Angeles, California, with but one eye, which was located in the centre of its forehead, and surmounted by a brow resembling that of a human being. The under jaw was also found to be like that of a man. The monstrosity was one of twins and died immediately after birth, its mate living.

February 7th, near College City, Colusa county, a team attached to a gang-plow became unmanageable, and the driver, John W. Wright, undertook to hold the leaders by the bridles, but they got away from him, and the plow struck him and cut him almost in two at the waist, killing him immediately.

The Upper Musselshell Valley, Montana, extending about 100 miles, is a fine grazing country. About \$250,000 worth of cattle and sheep are now grazing upon it. Stock men all say that it is the very finest winter range in the Territory. There is plenty of room and to spare for 100,000 more sheep and 50,000 or 100,000 more cattle.

The carcass of a mountain goat has been procured by Colonel Gibson, of Fort Missoula, Montana, for the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. The mountain goat is entirely different from the mountain sheep, and is very rarely found. It has a coat of long, white hair and a regular goat's beard. His horns are small and about seven inches long. It would stand about two feet and a half in height and measures three and a half feet in length.

From news received from Nehalem Valley, Oregon, it is learned that a girl named Mabel Bachus, aged 12 years, perished from hunger a few days ago. Owing to fallen timber from the recent wind and heavy snow storms all communication with the surrounding settlements had been cut off. Bachus, the father of the girl, started for St. Helens, the nearest point. He missed his way on his return, and did not reach his home for six days, and found his daughter dying from hunger.

Ice formed in Sacramento Monday night.

Diphtheria is still prevalent at Susanville.

Whooping cough is prevalent in Virginia City.

Virginia City has a chess club with 28 members.

Lucky Baldwin is buying mining property in Candelaria.

There are 2053 licensed liquor saloons in San Francisco.

Light rainfall in the Sacramento valley this season. Only 7 1/2 inches so far.

The California Theatre is advertised in the San Francisco papers "To Let."

A Carson baggage smasher broke 1,000 glass balls in two minutes. Beats Carver.

The passengers and crew of the quarantined steamship City of Pekin have been released.

Arrangements are being made for large shipments of lumber from Truckee to Arizona.

It is reported that Webb, the big sheep man of Siskiyou, has lost 10,000 sheep this season.

The Sacramento Workingmen and Democrats have united on a full city ticket in opposition to the Republicans.

There is a woman in Carson who commenced the Lenten season by trading off a Singer sewing machine for a keg of beer.

Captain Sam says none of the Pinites from Nevada are going to the Malheur Reservation in Oregon, except old Winnemucca and his people.

The Bodie Mining Company has paid \$1,575,000 in dividends, the last of which was paid February 2, 1880, and the previous one Jan 2d.

B. Cogan, Financial Secretary of the Virginia Miners' Union, estimates the number of idle men on the Comstock at from 1,500 to 2,000.

The Denver *Tribune* announces that a strong force of men is secretly forming in Denver with the intention of driving the Utes out of the state of Colorado.

A prize-fight with gloves is said to be on the tapis in Nevada county, between Tom McAlpine and James Rhodda, as a challenge has been made by the former.

The Salt Lake *Tribune* is moved to remark that the nineteen sad and sorrowing widows of the beloved Brigham don't make much progress toward beautifying his long neglected grave.

A fatal cutting affair occurred at Mokelumne Hill on the 16th between Caleb Johnson and Benjamin Joiner, about a mining claim, in which Joiner was cut in the abdomen and died in an hour.

An Au Fout of Carson writes to the *Appeal* that the club broke up because a number of women wanted to run it. Another correspondent insists that there is money in the Au Fout treasury and that the club has not broken up.

A dead-beat game in Leadville is for a professional to secure an excellent piece of gold quartz and flash it in saloons, saying that he owns the mine. The game usually takes, but most of the saloon-keepers are on the game now.

A Trial of an English Plow in India.

In India the husbandman, being averse to till "that asks tough sinews," prefers to tickle the surface of his fields with a stick instead of plowing them. To convince him of his error, an English plow was once imported by an enthusiastic official, and a number of the cultivators of the neighborhood were invited to witness the great deeds of the new implement. Bullocks were solemnly attached to it and urged to proceed. They refused, of course, and so more and more were added, until at last the plow began to move; but, whether from the inexperience of the plowman or the conduct of the bullocks, or both combined, in such erratic fashion that its nozzle was one instant plunged deep into the ground and the next jerked violently up, sending showers of earth into the air, and the exhibition was finally brought to a premature conclusion by two of the bullocks joining in single combat. The peasants were very much impressed by the behavior of the plow as a plow, but confided to their entertainer before leaving that they did not think much of it—as fireworks.

National Republican Convention.

The National Republican Convention, which meets in Chicago in June, 1880, to nominate for President and Vice President, will be composed of 748 delegates, apportioned to the states and territories as follows:

Alabama.....20	New Jersey.....18
Arkansas.....12	New York.....70
California.....13	North Carolina.....20
Colorado.....6	Ohio.....44
Connecticut.....12	Oregon.....6
Delaware.....3	Pennsylvania.....38
Florida.....8	Rhode Island.....8
Georgia.....23	South Carolina.....14
Illinois.....42	Tennessee.....24
Indiana.....20	Texas.....16
Iowa.....22	Vermont.....10
Kansas.....20	Virginia.....22
Kentucky.....24	West Virginia.....10
Louisiana.....18	Wisconsin.....12
Maine.....14	Dist. of Columbia.....2
Maryland.....16	Arizona.....1
Massachusetts.....26	Dakota.....1
Michigan.....20	Idaho.....1
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NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST.

A St. Louis Roman Catholic killed himself because his brother became a Presbyterian.

King Humbert has bought land in Abyssinia and is trying to start an Italian colony there.

Two spiritualistic mediums did not do all they had promised, at a seance at South Abington, Mass., and the crowd threw them violently into the street.

A French chemist asserts that if tea be ground like coffee, immediately before hot water is poured upon it, its exhilarating qualities will be doubled.

The town of Littleborough-by-Rochdale, containing about seventy-four acres, with a population of about 100,000, has just been sold to a Yorkshire gentleman.

The London Standard proposes a lottery, under the sanction of the Lord Mayor and Corporation of Dublin, for the relief of the Irish distress. The proposition meets with favor in several other quarters.

At Kolomna, Russia, they have just celebrated the completion, in the machine shops of that place, of their five hundredth locomotive and ten thousandth railroad car. The first engine was built there in 1868, and is still in active use.

Miss Butler of Pittsburgh, Pa., had looked for a man under her bed every night for many years, and at last she found not one there, but four. They wore black masks, and left her bound gagged when they went off with the family plate and jewelry.

Charles Jones, third owner of a Leadville mine worth \$1,000,000, died without making a will. A lawyer taking advantage of a small mortgage, got fraudulent possession of the property; but some miners discovered the scheme, and have found heirs in a poverty stricken Vermont family.

The Provo narrow-gauge railroad in Utah is hard at work hauling coal down from Pleasant Valley. A number of men are kept constantly at work keeping the road open, and coal is brought down and distributed to the surrounding towns at the rate of \$5 50 per ton, but in summer at the rate of \$5 50. It is said to be the best coal in the Rocky Mountains.

A London paper, in tracing the mode in which 122 of the titled families of England have acquired lands, states that scarcely a dozen of the number got them by professional or commercial pursuits. The writer asserts that not one-tenth of the 5,000,000 acres possessed by the 122 was acquired for value received.

Saturday night balls at Fall River are stopped at 12 o'clock by the police, at the request of the clergy, whose principal complaint is, not that late dancing is a desecration of the Sabbath, though that point is mentioned, but that the dancers are too sleepy in church on the following morning to pay attention to the sermon.

Some men saw by a railroad time table at Warsaw, Ark., that a certain train was not to stop there. They offered to pay the station agent well if he would somehow get them aboard, but he said it could not be done. Then they tied a rail on the track, which stopped the train, sure enough, but wrecked it so effectually that it could not start again.

A Quebec merchant has experimentally succeeded in shipping beef to England in the carcass. The animals are beheaded, the entrails are taken out, and the bodies pressed into a small compass and frozen. The hide is not removed until the voyage is over, and it is claimed that the meat is superior in appearance to other imported beef, and keeps longer.

The Rev. Wm. M. Barry, who died recently at Worcester, Mass., left directions to his executors to burn all his papers unread, to bury him in his plainest clothes and a cheap box, to permit no clergymen nor his wife to be present at the funeral services, and to devote his property to the maintenance of worship in the Congregational church of which he had been pastor.

Aaron Barnes of Independence, Iowa, was advised to go to the poorhouse, as he was old, infirm, and destitute; but he said: "I'll die first," and huddled away from the village store toward his lonely shanty. He was not seen after that for a week, and was then found dead, from hunger and cold, by a messenger who brought the news that his claim for \$1,600 pension money had been allowed.

Before committing suicide, in Chicago, John George Koenig bequeathed his body, which was about all he owned, as follows: "I request to have my body handed to the Chicago Medical College dissecting room but should they refuse to take it, then please offer it to some other college. A few months ago when I spoke to a student of the M.C. asking him what kind of a subject I would make for that purpose, he thought I was too fat."

Dan Rybolt started for church at Freeville, Minn., and on the way asked a neighbor who was to preach, "Parson Newling," was the reply. "I'd rather die than hear him," said Dan, and turned off toward a wood. He was afterward found hanging lifeless to a tree. The belief is that, as the clergyman was delivering a course of sermons on the dreadfulness of sin, and as Dan was an unrepentant sinner, an awakened conscience led to the suicide; but the scoffers have a theory that death might reasonably be preferred to hearing one of Newling's long discourses.

Upward of 1,442 persons in the British empire enjoy hereditary titles. English and Scotch farmers and capitalists are making large purchases of late in Minnesota.

In Oude and the north-west provinces of India, 401,080 persons died of fever last October.

No class of offenders in England defy the law like the clergy. The courts fawn on them against Mackonochie, the ritualist, but he simply ignores them.

A little boy's remark in school, at Pottsville, Ind., that he knew a good way to kill babies, which was by throwing them out of a window, led to the discovery of a child murder.

The Hawaiian Legislature has appropriated \$50,000 to build a palace for the King, whose palace has hitherto consisted of a number of wooden cottages surrounded by a high stone wall.

A Boston clergyman supposed he was getting \$5 for performing a marriage service for a couple of strangers, but he was really losing \$45, for he gave that amount of money in exchange for a bad \$30 bill.

There are two little girls of the same name living in Utica, N. Y. The other day one of them said her prayers, and for fear they might be credited to the other child, she added after the Amen, "No. 10 Orange street."

Curates seem to be much better paid in England than formerly. The advertisements for them in no case offer less than \$500, and most from \$600 to \$850, whereas \$500 used to be the maximum. The fact is that there is a dearth of educated, eligible men.

Experience has shown at the Petroleum Iron Works, Titusville, Pa., that a barrel of petroleum will generate heat sufficient for making a ton of iron, while a ton and a quarter of coal would be required for the same amount.

For the first time since the Franco-Prussian war a German newspaper has been started in Paris. It is to be called *Deutsche Zeitung für Paris*, and will be issued daily. It is worth adding that there are in the capital of France no fewer than 50,000 Germans.

Creek Tom and a boy, half breeds, at Mill Creek, Indian Territory, were in league with the devil, and were by him empowered to work mischief. Such at least was the belief of the Indians in the neighborhood, and it was deemed expedient to kill them, which was done by a mob at night.

John Richardson of Temescal, San Bernardino county, killed an immense cougar the other night. The animal measured eight feet four inches in length, and weighed 194 pounds. It has been foraging in the Temescal settlement for a number of years, at one time carrying off a large colt.

The commercial value of ore mined from the Robert E. Lee, in Leadville, during the month of January, was \$301,404.79. On the 3d inst., Eddy, James & Co. settled for 344 tons of Lee ore, paying therefor the sum of \$139,775.86, or an average of \$380 per ton. The whole amount was paid in a single check, which was deposited in the Bank of Leadville.

The favorite amusement of all Spaniards, bull fighting, is threatened with suppression. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, established in the capital of the Austrian empire, has addressed circulars to kindred institutions throughout the world, requesting their co-operation in putting down this barbarous sport.

Andaman Island widows wear the skulls of their deceased husbands on their shoulders. At a recent lecture on ethnology at the Royal College of Surgeons in London, Prof. Flower showed the skull of an Andamanese, to which was attached an elegant webbed sling by which it had been suspended to the widow's neck.

Houses tumble down sometimes before they are 1,000 hours old, which is wholly inexcusable, but a house which lately tumbled down at Belper, England, had at least the name of being 1,000 years old. It was occupied up to last month, and four hundred years ago was the only inn in Belper. It was one storied, with a thatched roof.

An Apt Comparison.

Two brothers belonging to one of our oldest families, living some hundred miles from New York, find continuous country life rather irksome. As one or the other of them is obliged to be on the estate, they take turns in coming down to the city for a little recreation. The arrangement works so regularly that it was remarked to one of them, the other day, that he and his brother were like two buckets in a well, one always going up and the other going down. "Yes," replied Tom, "and also like a well bucket, the one going up is always full."

Buried in Snow.

Two Quebec children, while coasting in Valier st. last week, were suddenly overwhelmed by an avalanche of snow, and in the twinkling of an eye they were covered by twelve feet of snow. By good fortune they had been seen, and the most desperate efforts were made to get them out alive. It took ten minutes digging by as many strong men as could work at the task to get to where the little ones lay; and they were insensible and their faces quite black when the air was opened to them; but they were living.

Life in India.
The following is an extract published from the San Francisco Exchange, originally taken from a letter written by a Bodie man to a prominent S. F. broker:

Bodie takes the palm for the delightful freedom of social intercourse. Everybody addresses somebody else as "You," how do you do?" All men and females, except the few married ones, carry weapons, and they do not always take the trouble to conceal them, either. Why the other day, when being shaved by a colored barber, the artist seemed to take huge delight in rubbing the handle of a huge Bowie knife, which he had stuck in the waistband of his pants. (He had his coat off.) I don't suppose you have heard the full particulars of the killing of Slade by Withrow. Withrow had some words with him in a faro room.

A public one in the rear of the Comstock saloon—and shot him in the abdomen. Slade fell down and Withrow went outside, where he was pointed out to a policeman (God save the mark). The official passed the homicide by as a "bad man." Slade died the next day (Sunday) and was buried Tuesday. On Saturday, a week after the murder, Withrow was taken before a Justice, and because no one would swear to a warrant which had been made out, he was discharged. From the day after the shooting to the day of the examination, so called, Withrow was merely placed under surveillance, and was never arrested. The temperature here ranges all the way from 2 degrees above zero to 15 degrees below it, and the natives sleep uncomfortably if the thermometer deviates much from these figures.

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